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## FIRST EDITION

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## MITTEN'S TRIAL

### Closed in the Boston Armory Last Night.

ARGUMENT BY COUNSEL BENT AND BANGS.

The Courtmartial Will Report to the Governor.

The Mitten court martial was again convened at the South armory, Boston, last night with Lieut. Col. Hovey as president, and the full board were present.

Capt. Mitten was not present, being confined to his home with a severe cold, but was represented by his counsel, Mr. Bent of Lowell.

Assistant Judge Advocate Bangs conducted the prosecution, and there were several tilts during the evening between him and Lawyer Bent.

Armorer Thomas G. Farnsworth of the Lowell armory was the first witness. He stated that he was never in McNulty's drug store on any Sunday morning. He acknowledged writing the affidavit of Decorator Young in McNulty's store. When asked how it was that he came to write the affidavit for Young to sign and what interest he had in the matter, he stated that he had stood all he could from Capt. Mitten and wanted to get him out of the service.

In answer to a question by Capt. Mitten's counsel, witness said before he secured the affidavit from Young he took advice of counsel, who instructed him to get the document. He acknowledged that he was trying to get Capt. Mitten out of the company.

Lieut. Philip McNulty was again called and denied having sold Bass beer in his store. He told a straightforward story that could not be shaken.

George G. McCoy, late member of the company said that he was asked by Capt. Mitten to come down to Boston and testify in his favor, and said if he would do so he would make it all right, and he would see that his "dishonorable" discharge was changed to an "honorable" one.

Robert W. Park also testified that he was importuned by Capt. Mitten to come to Boston and testify for him, and was made the same promise as McCoy. He said that he would come down. He did as promised, but at that time he was not called, and he acknowledged that he now came to see justice done.

This concluded the evidence, and Mr. Bent addressed the court in behalf of Capt. Mitten. He made a very strong plea for the accused, speaking for over an hour. In his argument he did not spare any of the witnesses for the prosecution, and claimed that the whole of these charges were the result of a conspiracy, in which Lieut. McNulty and Armorer Farnsworth were the principals.

Judge Advocate Bangs followed, and shortly before 10 o'clock the court took the case under advisement, and will report their findings to the governor.

### THE ELIGIBLE LIST.

**Men Selected as Candidates for the Police Force.**

Forty-three who tried the recent civil service examination for police officers were successful. There names are as follows: John H. Condon, John L. Huse, Michael R. Histen, Ezra A. Nichols, Patrick J. Frawley, Charles D. Martin, Samuel J. Bigelow, Arthur W. Lang, Edgar L. Bills, Francis P. O'Neill, William McCloughry, James F. Delmege, Frank B. Daly, James Reynolds, D. Wesley Neely, Frank K. Marshall, James F. Henlon, Charles Smith, John G. Coburn, Maurice J. Sheehan, William B. Goodrich, Charles H. Merrill, Cornelius T. O. O'Keefe, Patrick J. Byrne, George H. Young, James Farrell, Michael J. Markham, Charles Wilson, Henry G. Coburn, Joseph Lamoureaux, John B. Conway, John Kane, John Freeman, Clarence L. Boothby, William H. Killey, Charles A. Hamilton, George W. Robinson, William B. Wilcox, Albert M. Eames, Walter E. Thompson, Francis F. Dingwill, William H. Wilson and Owen J. Tansey.

**Highland Club Billiards.**

The tournament game at the Highland club last night resulted as follows:

Team Two—Reed 118, Kittredge 65, Shaw 60, Davis 48; total 241.

Team Six—Dickerman 83, Wilcox 73, Jewett 48, Kilgore 60; total 281.


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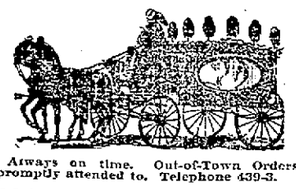

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## LIGHT SENTENCE

### Imposed Upon Young Hodge for Larceny.

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His Case An Encouragement to Youthful Depravity.

At the Superior court in Cambridge yesterday Eugene S. Hodge who was arrested for wholesale larceny from the Merrimack Print works where he was employed as freight clerk got off light being sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory while eight counts were placed on file.

Andrew Douglas who was convicted of breaking in a man's skull with a flatiron holder got only 60 days in the house of correction.

Charles Richardson who escaped from the workhouse was sent back there to serve out his term and the case against him was placed on file.

John Rogers, a common drunkard got six months at the state farm.

George M. Roddy, charged with adultery was placed on probation.

## JOHN MARREN'S FUNERAL

LARGE CORTEGE FOLLOWED REMAINS TO CEMETERY.

**Touching Display of Floral Tributes From Relatives and Friends.**

The remains of the late John Marren were laid at rest this morning.

Long before the hour announced for the funeral friends began to gather at the family residence on Butterfield street and viewed for the last time the remains of one who in life was a true friend, a loving husband and a kind father.

At 8.30 the long funeral cortege formed and the hearse with the forty carriages containing relatives and friends, moved towards St. Patrick's church, where services were held.

Rev. Fr. Gleason celebrated the high mass of requiem, and the choir, directed by E. F. Faulkner, rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. At the offertory Miss Finn sang the Pie Jesu. The solos in the Libra were sustained by Prof. Haggerty, and the hymn "Passing Out of the Shadow," was rendered with fine effect by Miss Finn. But the most pathetic selection was the solo, "I love to hear my Savior's voice," by James E. Donnelly.

David A. McHugh sang the solos of the De Profundis. At the conclusion of the service the cortege moved to the Catholic cemetery and the remains were interred in the family lot. Some beautiful floral offerings were placed over the grave.

The family offering was a large pillow of ivy with the word "Father" in blue immortelles.

Dr. and Mrs. Harrington sent an ivy wreath and wheat; and the offering of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Deehan was palm leaves with Roman hyacinths and tied with Roman hyacinths.

The family of James Marren sent a large ivy wreath, and a card attached to some palm leaves and Roman hyacinths tied with lavender ribbon bore the names of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Saunders.

An ivy cross and pinks came from Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius E. Collins, and an ivy shield and wheat from Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coffey. Patrick Dempsey sent a spray of pinks, and there were also a wreath and a spray of pinks from friends.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Edward Gallagher, Edward Kelly, Charles W. Deehan, John Lane.

### THOSE BURGLARS.

**They Operated Largely in Neighboring Cities.**

Louis Jaquith and Ernest Beausoleil, who were arrested yesterday by Officers R. Welch and Leighton, are wanted in Nashua for burglariers committed there.

The goods taken from Chamberlain & Patten's store were the most valuable, two cloaks valued at $150. They were returned to the owners by Inspector Flood of Nashua yesterday. At Clark's hardware store the next big haul was made, nearly $50 worth of guns, revolvers, razors and knives being taken. These were also returned. The other goods secured at Barr's hardware store and at Flander's market were also returned.

**Miss Perrin's Party.**

Exactly one hundred couples were present at the assembly given in Associate hall last evening, by Miss L. Blanche Perrin, to her pupils. The American orchestra played, and the grand march was led by Misses Lucy Stevens and Lilla Harriman. The officers were: Floor manager, G. I. Perrin; aids, A. W. Stevens, F. E. Raymond, A. C. Grimwood, L. C. Day, A. N. Kirkpatrick, H. W. Perrin.


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## EPIDEMIC RAGES

### In the City of Haverhill With Fatal Results

AND YET JUDGE CARTER HOLDS QUARANTINE ILLEGAL.

Queer State of Affairs Menacing the Whole People.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Feb. 20.—An epidemic of diphtheria in the section of the city occupied by the poorer classes will probably necessitate the closing of several schools. Owing to the city's non-compliance with the law for the establishment of a contagious hospital, it is impossible to establish quarantine regulations.

The residents in the eastern section of the city are alarmed over the prevalence of diphtheria. Five deaths have already occurred in the week, and in eight homes there are from one to six cases apiece.

Whole families have been afflicted in the week, so rapid has been the spread of the disease, and the local health officials are at a loss what precautions to take to prevent its further spread. Until last year the board has always quarantined houses in which such diseases appeared, but a case arose, in which Judge Carter decided that they had no right to make laws governing contagious diseases.

Ex-City Solicitor Peters confirmed this decision, even though a previous official said they had the right to quarantine such cases. Since the present outbreak health officials have asked the city solicitor for his opinion, and an opinion will be rendered tomorrow. The board will then take definite action.

In the meantime the whole city has become alarmed at the rapid spreading of the disease, and immediate and vigorous action is being urged. In the past four years the city council has been annually urged to erect a contagious disease hospital, but no action was ever taken.

### BOWLING NEWS.

The Vespers went to Boston last evening and defeated the Casinos. Bean, Grover and Whittier put up good scores and every man on the Casinos put up a total of over 509. The highest roller was Bean with 587. The score:

Vespers—Corwin 487, Grover 575, Dahlberg 455. J. Whittier 583, Bean 587; total 2687.

Casino—Cruff 519, Davis 502, Simpson 529, Littler 550, Smith 540; totals 2640.

**The Highland Tournament.**

Team Seven defeated Team Nine last evening by the following totals:

Team Seven—Saunders 458, Sturtevant 429, Livingston 505, Goward 460, Wing 527; total 2399.

Team Nine—Lewis 552, Lovejoy 380, Kittredge 420, Peabody 372, Starkey 355; total 1979.

**The Firemen Again.**

The Butchers had their "carvers" out last night, but they "cut no beef" with the fire men on the Palmer street alleys. The score:

Firemen—Merrill 496, Halstead 473, Boynton 444, Welch 507, Dearth 568; total 2488.

Jewett & Swift—Sheehy 451, Sherwood 460, Broadbent 510, Chicken 477, Clark 440; total 2338.

**Calumets Defeated.**

The Calumets No. 2 team was beaten last night by the Warwoods by the following score:

Warwoods—Guimond 411, Blazon 497, Lavery 433, Page 507, Guimond 443; total 2281.

Calumets No. 2.—Mower 445, Dugan 393, Hart 484, Walker 421, Tuttle 485; total 2228.

**High School Bowling.**

In the individual High school tournament yesterday afternoon, the following scores were made: Burtt, 118, 142—260; Carter, 112, 122—234.

### Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

**To be Erected by Men Interested in the Work.**

Men prominent in Y. M. C. A. affairs met at the residence of W. H. White, 250 Nesmith street, last evening, and talked over the plan of endorsing the central committee, so that it can perform its work without being troubled by financial work. The proposition is to raise $150,000 and erect a building that will not only furnish offices for the committee, but provide in rentals a permanent income.

O. H. Durrell, of Boston, presided at the conference, and among those present were A. M. Armstrong of Boston, E. W. Watkins of New York, and ex-Mayor Frederick Foster of Fitchburg.

**Coal Hods, Coal Hods.**

A new lot of coal hods received, and this lot we will give away with a pound of our choice tea or baking powder. This is a rare bargain and they do not last long. Do not delay. Dickson Bros., 58 Merrimack street.

### STOPPING A SHIP.

**The Time and Distance It Takes to Arrest a Vessel's Motion.**

The motion of a steamship on the Atlantic, when the sea is calm, is so smooth and steady that the passenger hardly realizes the tremendous momentum of the vessel under his feet. After the engines have been slowed down there is a startling revelation of the energy of motion. This energy can also be accurately calculated with the aid of mathematical formulas, and the time and distance within which the motion can be totally arrested and the ship be brought to a stand may be ascertained in a similar manner. This calculation has recently been made for several well known ships.

To stop the Etruria, whose "displacement" is 9,680 tons, horsepower 14,321 and speed 20.18 knots an hour, 2 minutes and 47 seconds are required, and during the progress of stopping, the ship will forge ahead 2,464 feet, which is only 176 feet less than half a mile. The United States cruiser Columbia, with a displacement of 7,350 tons, 17,991 horsepower and a speed of 22.8 knots, can be stopped in 2 minutes and 15 seconds, and within a space of 2,147 feet. The little flier Cushing, also of the United States navy, whose displacement is only 105 tons, and horsepower 1,754, while its speed is 22.48 knots, can be stopped within a distance of 301 feet in 18.4 seconds. In each case the vessel is supposed to be going at full speed, and the stoppage is produced by reversing the action of the propelling machinery.—Youth's Companion.

## FASTER SERVICE

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Manager Sullivan and the directors of the Lowell & Suburban road intend to give patrons of the road a service next summer that will greatly please and convenience them.

After considerable study and planning Manager Sullivan has arranged a schedule that suits the directors and is sure to find favor with the public.

At the last meeting of the directors, it was voted to increase the present number of cars, now used by the company by 26 per cent in order to make it possible to provide a faster service.

For nine or ten hours during the day a ten minute service will be provided on the Broadway and Centralville, Nesmith street and Pawtucketville, Pawtucket and High streets routes; and a seven minute service to the Edson cemetery, so that the Lynn route will not interfere with the local service.

Then there will be an independent line to Parker avenue, so that the Lakeview route will not interfere with local service.

The depot line will continue up Middlesex street to Wilder street, to ease up up the business on the Middlesex street and Chelmsford routes, as there will be increased service on the Westford street route.

The new cars will all be double truck cars, such as are now used on the Nashua line.

The new arrangements will go into effect May 1, when the summer schedule goes into operation.

## A GREEN HOUSE BURNED

AT FARM OF CHARLES L. MARSHALL ON STEVENS STREET.

**An Over-Heated Stove Caused the Fire—It Was Extinguished by the Department.**

Shortly after midnight last night a telephone alarm gave notice of a fire in the greenhouse of Charles S. Marshall on Stevens street near the city farm. Ten minutes later an alarm came in from box 231. The fire was in the greenhouse office and an adjoining shed which were destroyed. The loss is estimated at $1000 insured. The fire caught from an overheated stovepipe.

At quarter to five this morning the department was called there again by another small blaze in the same place.

**Other Alarms.**

A telephone alarm at 9.35 o'clock this morning was for a chimney fire in John Boyle's house on Fayette street.

The alarm from box 42 at 10.25 this morning was needless. A Mrs. Kelly residing at the corner of Middlesex street and Middlesex place, left some meat boiling on the stove and went out. The water boiled over and the meat caught fire making considerable smoke and causing the alarm.

### DEATHS.

ATWOOD—Ira Atwood died in East Chelmsford Feb. 19, aged 66 years. He had been a resident there for the last eight years and was universally esteemed and respected. Mrs. Abram Sherman, a daughter, survives him.

McCALL—Alice McCall, child of Joseph and Hannah McCall, died yesterday at their home, 3 Lincoln place, off Central street. The funeral took place this afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

### POLICE COURT,

**Hadley, J.**

There were four drunks and one was released.

Joseph Mann, a cripple, fell asleep on the Dracut road last night while under the influence of liquor. The motorman and conductor on the last car in picked him up and carried him on board until they met Officer F. Fox, who arrested him. He promised not to come to Lowell for a month and was put on probation.

George Hadden pleaded guilty of drunkenness and Officer Conners testified that Hadden went home shortly after his wife had given birth to a still born child and pulling her out of bed gave her a beating. Hadden denied having beaten his wife. As drunkenness was the only charge against him he was fined $10.


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## 2 O'CLOCK

## EX-GOV. ROBINSON

### Stricken By Apoplexy and Will Die.

HE SUSTAINED THE SHOCK YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Sketch of His Career in Politics and Business.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 20.—Ex-Governor George D. Robinson of Chicopee suffered a shock of apoplexy yesterday afternoon, and is now in a critical condition.

George Dexter Robinson, son of Charles and Mary (Davis) Robinson, was born in Lexington, Jan. 20, 1834. He passed through the common district schools of his native town, attended Lexington academy one year and was one year in Hopkins classical school, Cambridge. Having fitted for college, he entered Harvard and was graduated therefrom in the class of 1856. While pursuing his college course he taught district schools during two winters in Lexington.

Immediately after graduating he became principal of the high school at Chicopee, and held the position until March, 1865. He then studied law in Charlestown with his brother, Hon. Charles Robinson, and was admitted to the bar in March, 1866. He immediately opened an office in Chicopee.

He was first married in Lexington Nov. 24, 1859, to Hannah E., daughter of William and Mary (Pearce) Stevens, who died Sept. 5, 1864. He was again married in Lexington July 11, 1867, to Susan E., daughter of Joseph F. and Susan (Mulliken) Simonds. By the first marriage he has one child, Walter Stevens Robinson, born March 22, 1861, and by the second, Annie Florence Robinson, born Oct. 4, 1869.

**Honored by State and Nation.**

He was a representative in the legislature in 1874, senator in 1876, representative in the Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth, Forty-seventh and Forth-eighth United States congresses.

He was elected governor of Massachusetts in 1884 and re-elected in 1885 and 1886. In 1887 Governor Robinson was tendered by President Cleveland an appointment on the interstate commerce commission, and declined it. In 1889 he was appointed by President Harrison commissioner to the Cherokee and other Indian tribes to receive title to lands in the Indian Territory, but declined the office.

Governor Robinson has never been invited to a public or private trust that, having been accepted, has not been filled with honor. In the higher councils of the nation he left a record for an earnest, manly and broad statesmanship, which has reflected infinite credit upon the state which has a generous remembrance of his loyal service.

The Republicans of the state ofttimes refer with pride to the wonderful campaign made by him when a candidate for governor against Benjamin F. Butler. Night after night, during the entire campaign, he followed the doughty Lowell politician over the commonwealth, replying to the arguments made on the previous evening, and so convincing were his speeches that it is often said, "He talked himself into the gubernatorial chair."

Ex-Governor Robinson has won no little fame as a lawyer. For years, even after he had laid down the reins of office, his face was a familiar one at many important hearings before the legislature on Beacon Hill.

Governor Robinson played an important part in the Lizzie Borden trial, having been retained to defend her in the trial that has become famous the country over. Greatly to his efforts, it is believed, an acquittal was secured.

**To Meet at Cream City.**

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—The convention of the Republican National league will be held at Milwaukee Aug. 25, 26 and 27. Instead of leaving the selection to the executive committee, a ballot was taken by correspondence, and Milwaukee won out by a overwhelming vote, and yesterday the executive committee formally ratified this motion. The meeting was held for the purpose of securing money for to carry on the campaign this year. The money was easily raised, and plans were perfected for carrying into execution the work of the league. A telegram of sympathy was sent to Joseph H. Manley, regarding the death of his wife.

**Nye on His Death Bed.**

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Feb. 20.—Edgar W. Nye, the "Bill" Nye of the world of humor, whose writings have made the world laugh, is seriously sick at his home at Buck Shoals, eight miles south of here. About two weeks ago Mr. Nye was taken sick, and since that time the trouble has been slowly progressing until now his condition is very serious. He is suffering from a stroke of apoplexy. Last night Mr. Nye was much worse, and it is thought he can live only a few hours.

**Wants Another Trial.**

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 20.—Martin Dalton, convicted of having been guilty with "Yankee Dan" Sullivan of the murder of Anthony S. Haswell, has filed a petition for a new trial on the ground that recent enactment of the judiciary law renders the indictment under which he was convicted of no effect, as the new law makes no provision for the trial of indictments pending at the time of its passage.

**Fitz Confident of Winning.**

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 20.—The fight situation is quiet, the only point of interest being the condition of Maher's eyes. Latest reports are to the effect that his sight continues to improve. Fitzsimmons is certainly in superb shape, and reiterates his firm belief that the fight will be a very short one, and that he will be an easy winner inside of five rounds.

**Experiment Claimed Many Victims.**

SENEY, Mich., Feb. 20.—Four men were killed and seven seriously injured yesterday by a steam log hauler experimenting at McKay's lumber camp. At the point where the accident occurred the snow was piled in high banks. The engine became uncontrollable and ran down the road at full speed, catching the men before escape was possible.

## THE GOVERNOR'S CONDITION

HAD A BAD NIGHT BUT FELT SLIGHTLY BETTER.

**This Morning—Ventured Out For a Short Drive—May Not Go to the State House for Weeks.**

Governor Greenhalge's hosts of friends will be pleased to know that although his condition was rather miserable last night he felt a little better this morning and ventured out for a short drive. It will be some days, perhaps weeks before he will be able to resume his duties at the state house.

### THEATRICAL NEWS.

**New Music Hall.**

"Outcast of a Great City."

This is the title of a sensational melodrama to be presented at Music hall tonight and the remainder of the week.

Daniel A. Kelly is the leading character and is supported by Helen A. Desmond and a capable company. The play stood the test of three weeks production in New York.

**Ben Hur.**

The scenic production of this famous story is nightly drawing large houses at the Opera house. The fact that the performance is for the benefit of the General hospital, attracts the friends of that institution, but the show is worth what it costs. The talent is nearly all local, the scenic effects unsurpassed.

**Special to Children.**

The management of the Savoy theatre will give a special matinee for the benefit of the school children on Saturday afternoon. On this occasion every child will be admitted for ten cents, and receive a pretty souvenir from Prof. King, the paper King.

**The Savoy Theatre.**

The performances at the beautiful Savoy Theatre continued to draw large houses and already its future success appears to be an assured thing. Those who have not yet witnessed the performance should do so ere the week closes.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. James Ewart of New York is the guest of Mrs. Julian Talbot.

Miss Bernice Ranlett of Wilder street and Miss Ethel Livingston of Livingston ave., are visiting in South Dartmouth, Mass.

August Fels entertained a party of friends at his home on Lakeview avenue last evening.

### LOCAL NOTES.

Charles H. McElroy has been granted a patent on an electrical connecting cord.

The committee of the Fifth Street Baptist church, held an entertainment and supper last evening.

John R. Shea read a paper to the pupils of the two highest classes at St. Patrick's parochial school yesterday afternoon.

The members of the Unitarian church of Chelmsford enjoyed a fine supper and entertainment last evening.

The social and entertainment last evening at the Central Congregational church in Chelmsford was attended by a fair sized audience.

Les Miserables association will erect a polo rink in the rear of the present bowling alleys and will enter a team in the New England league next season.

A musicale under the direction of Miss Emma P. Kimball was given in the vestry of the Eliot church last evening.

Rev. C. E. Fisher of this city took part in the regular monthly meeting of the Merrimack valley conference of Universalist churches, held in Nashua yesterday.

Alfred Bibeault, as the most popular member of l'Association Catholique, has been presented an excellent portrait of the late Rev. Fr. Garin, O.M.I.

**Reception to Rev. and Mrs. Keevil.**

Rev. C. J. Keevil and Mrs. Keevil were welcomed home from their wedding trip last evening.

A reception was tendered in their honor at the Moore Street Primitive Methodist church, which the members of the church attended.

Rev. and Mrs. Keevil received many beautiful gifts. They will be at home at 24 Columbus avenue after March 1.

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OPP. CITY HALL.


## OF YOUNG ADAMS

### And His Pals the Boston Police Talk.

STEVENS REGARDED AS AN OLD TIMER.

He Served Time in a Massachusetts Jail.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—J. Irving Adams, son of John P. Adams of Auburndale, was positively identified yesterday by an intimate friend of the Adams family as the youthful burglar now under arrest in New York charged with the burglary at the office of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, Newton, and the attempted burglary of the Newtonville Co-operative bank.

The identification was brought about by means of a photograph of Adams taken in New York for the rogues' gallery. The photograph was sent to Chief Inspector Watts of the bureau of criminal investigation, reaching him yesterday.

The chief at once detailed Inspector Wolf to get the information wanted. No member of the family could be seen, but at the State street office of the boy's father, Mr. Keeler, the friend mentioned, was found. A glance at the photograph was all that was necessary. "Yes, that's the boy," he said.

The information was promptly wired to New York and young Adams will be held until the Newton authorities get there with the necessary requisition papers.

Mr. Adams, the boy's father, sent a representative to New York yesterday to look after legal matters. It is not intended to make any fight over the requisition papers. The fact that Irving has talked makes it difficult to form a good defense. This is fully realized both by the boy's counsel and his parents, and from the statement given out it would seem as if a plea of leniency would be the thing decided upon.

**Where Is Moore?**

In Boston police circles the boy's crimes and his contemplated tour of safe "cracking" are the sole topics of discussion, especially that part of his story which relates to Langdon W. Moore. Where Moore is the police want to know in the worst way. There is no charge against him so far, but the chief inspector wants him to give some explanation of the things which Adams says are true.

Moore informed the police years ago that he was out of the burglary business, and proved to the satisfaction of the police that he was telling the truth. From that time on until the present time, whenever a story came out reflecting on his name, Moore always called at police headquarters and set himself right.

Many stories besides the one told by Adams are in circulation, and they are all against Moore. Notwithstanding these stories, there are several inspectors who believe that Moore will set matters right. These inspectors believe that Adams' head was turned by Moore's book, and not by the old bank burglar himself. They say that Moore is too clever to be caught in any such affair as Adams is mixed up with, and predict that later developments will prove the truth of their statements.

**Stevens' Bad Record.**

Chief Inspector Watts yesterday succeeded in establishing the identity of the burglar arrested with young Adams in New York, who is booked under the name of Thomas Stevens. His name is Myron J. C. Dolloss, an old-time burglar, who is known to the prison officials of Massachusetts.

He has served eight years in the state prison at Charlestown, and the identification of the chief was corroborated by several old prison officials who were there when Dolloss was "doing time." He is a professional all-round crook, and considered one of the best "workers" in the country.

Dolloss was arrested in this city on Dec. 28, 1881, by Inspectors Houghton, Geraughty and Knox. The charge was burglary. It was alleged that he entered several dwellings in Cambridge and Brookline, and a strong case was weaved. On March 21, 1882, he was convicted in Cambridge, and sentenced on three counts for breaking and entering at Cambridge. He got three years on two counts and two years on a third count, making eight years in all.

He was discharged from the state prison on Nov. 26, 1888, having an allowance for good behavior given him.

Since Dolloss' release from the state prison he has been a wanderer. He has traveled from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean, and according to the police has kept at his profession.

In police parlance he is known as a "strong-arm man," having powerful muscles and plenty of nerve. Whenever arrested a revolver has been found on him, and extreme precaution has been taken in each case against resistance, for the officers know him to be a desperate character, who would fight hard to escape imprisonment.

Stevens is a clean-looking fellow, in the parlance of the police, and one would take him for a "drummer." In fact, that is what he represents to the police he is, and vows he will make it hot for the police before he leaves New York.

**Suspicious of Insanity.**

John P. Adams of Auburndale has given out a card for publication, in which he says:

"In the great grief which has come to my wife and myself by the alleged act of our son, J. Irving Adams, I ask for the publication of this statement in lieu of requests for interviews by reporters, who have shown us the greatest kindness and sympathy.

"Some six or seven years ago symptoms of insanity appeared in our son, which developed in a greater or less degree, and at no time since have we considered him fully sane, and at times clearly insane, almost beyond control. We have done all in our power to keep this knowledge within our family, hoping that such symptoms would disappear. While we don't think it wise, at present, to detail his mental condition, the proofs are ample and we believe conclusive.

"Knowing these things, which have caused us for several years untold and constant anxiety, we would ask a fair and discerning public to accord to them their just weight."

**An Aged Sinner.**

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 20.—Jacob Moser, aged 65 years, yesterday shot and killed Marguerite Senger, wife of a neighbor, and then committed suicide. The tragedy was the result of a quarrel.


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**New Democratic Daily.**

It is rumored that H. H. Metcalf of Concord is coming to Nashua to take editorial charge of a democratic daily, Mr. Metcalf is a vigorous writer and has enough democracy to the square inch to suit the most ardent of the "unterrified."—Nashua Telegraph.


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that there is no other tea used so extensively in this city today as the Garden Flower tea sold by us. If you are not using it you don't use the best tea. Commercial Tea Co., opp. post office.

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Money deposited in the Savings Department of the Traders' National Bank at 30 Middlesex street and 11 Post Office avenue on or before Tuesday, March 3rd, will draw interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from March 1st. Interest may be withdrawn or will be added to the principal on the first days of July and January. Bank open from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. and on Saturdays from 8 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. WILLIAM F. HILLS, Cashier.

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Price will be per ton of 2240 pounds, delivered and stored as directed by the Superintendent, part at the Pumping Station West Sixth street, and part at the Driven Well Pumping Stations.

Coal as delivered at West Sixth street will be weighed on the Pumping Station Scales, and be paid for actual weight as shown by said scales. Coal delivered at the Driven Wells will be car weight and will be delivered at the Driven Well Pumping stations.

Time of delivery will be 1000 tons in April, 1000 tons in August.

The water board reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

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Senator Pugh has introduced a bill in congress providing that each state will have a saparate postage stamp, the design to be chosen by the state and accepted by the postal department. It would then be an easy matter to tell at a glance where a letter came from by looking at the stamp. The states would each form a design for its own stamp.

### BARRED OUT.

The reporters of Boston are barred from police headquarters.

This means that the state board of police is not to be under the public eye at all times. Reporters will not be allowed to see what is going on at headquarters. It is time for the press of Boston to tell what they know of the police. It is not at headquarters the officers get boozy; it is not there they gamble. The reporters know just where and may astound the demi-gods of the Boston police commission one of these days.

### HOW TO PROCURE A HOME.

Gorham street, Feb. 18, 1896.

Editor SUN: Will you kindly say in your valuable paper what is the best method for a poor man with little money to purchase a home in Lowell or vicinity. By so doing you will greatly oblige,

A SUN READER.

This little communication, simple and brief though it be, introduces a subject of great importance to the working people who have a little money saved.

In order to answer the above inquiry satisfactorily, it would perhaps be necessary to know how much money our correspondent has to expend or in what part of the city he wants to locate.

But without more definite views of his capital and his preferences as to location we may say that the best plan is to invest his capital or a reasonable amount of it in a house lot and then get a contractor to build a house.

If you have $500 you can get a house lot in a reasonably good location, if you have $100 you can get one in Dracut or somewhere equally eligible along the line of electric cars.

Having secured the lot it will be quite easy to get a builder to put up the kind of house you want on a mortgage. Of course if you can define just what kind of a house you want and if you have the ability to prevent the builder from cheating you by giving you poor work or poor material for a good price so much the better.

If no builder cares to put up your building on a mortgage you can get the loan of money on real estate security.

It is in this way that three fourths of the dwellings throughout the city are erected and paid for.

Those who buy a house in this manner calculate on getting it at a price that will be equal to one hundred times the rent per month. For example if the house costs $2000 the rent should be $20 per month; if $3500 the rent should be $35 per month and so on.

Anybody who can buy a house on this basis will make a good investment. It is not often, however, that a good house can be obtained on such terms.

A great deal depends upon the location. Speculators are always on the alert to buy land and build houses where they foresee improvements coming.

It is in this way they gain so much by what is known as the unearned increment, that is, the increase in value of any piece of real estate on account of improvements in the environments.

It may be mentioned that some people buy houses on mortgage and pay only the interest thereon at the rate of 5 per cent.

In this way a family will be able to pay interest, taxes and water bills at less than they would have to pay in rent had they but rented the house purchased.

They can keep on paying the interest as long as they please, but if they miss a payment, the mortgage may be foreclosed.

The Boston Globe once asked General Butler's advice to a man with a little capital as to how he could make the best use of it.

The General replied that he knew of no better way of increasing the amount than to invest in a piece of improved real estate. The General knew from experience that this was the best course for a man with a small capital.

## ONE OF OUR TRAITS.

### We Are Ungrateful to the Living, but Honor the Dead.

Have you ever thought of how very ungrateful we are toward the living, and how we hustle around to make amends for it after they are dead?

Among the prosperous farmers just over the border of an adjoining state was one noted for making things count. He had as good and faithful a wife as ever fell to the lot of a man, but he did not seem to have much time for her. She managed the household affairs splendidly, made the finest butter that went to the city market and never allowed her family to want for home comforts. If she got the toothache, he allowed her to doctor it, and if she complained of the pain he said she was growling and showed by his manners that he was annoyed.

But if a sheep got the sniffs, or if a cow showed signs of hollow horn, or a pig became slightly scroffy, he would tear around at a great rate, sit up all night or ride post haste to town and buy very expensive medicines or bring the veterinary. He couldn't bear to see an animal suffer; besides if it died it was a dead loss.

Through neglect to consult a dentist this man's wife became sorely afflicted, but she kept on her feet for his sake as long as she could, then took to her bed and died.

That man took it awfully hard, wore crape, went moping around for a year or more and put up a monument to her memory at a cost that would have covered the expense of providing her with needed help, medical attention or made life a comfort to her and a pleasure to him.

Cincinnati furnishes a typical case.

Professor Vaughn, one of the most learned of its scholars, notably versatile, respected and revered among scientists and philosophers, was allowed to go in rags and finally to die for want of food. With tattered overcoat, dilapidated hat, leaky shoes and empty pocket he was permitted to make his home on the streets in winter and pick up here and there a bit to eat, like a friendless dog.

As soon as his starved, emaciated, dead body had been discovered the whole town rushed to the rescue. The good people who knew him well and had often seen him in tatters were horrified to learn that he had died in want. The papers extolled his greatness in columns of editorial, the ministry recounted his virtues in glowing words, and leading citizens at once proposed a monument to perpetuate his memory, and of course to show their high appreciation of the man and of his accomplishments.

In the public library stands a bronze bust of the famous Professor Vaughn, but the inscription on the tablet does not tell that he suffered and finally died for the want of a tithe of the money invested in this memento.

Wonder are we waiting for some of our men of worth or our men of genius to die before we accord to them the honors long overdue? Have we those among us who, by a little—just a little—help could be and would be of great value to our city? Would it not be more humane, more philanthropic and more sensible to aid them while they live than to monument them when they die?—Pittsburg Commercial-Gazette.

### A Service of Worcester.

Toward the end of the century the first sign of the royal favor was vouchsafed to Worcester. George III visited the factories, and under the impetus given by his patronage the wares of the city advanced so much in popularity that in the early part of this century, it is said, there were few noble families which had not in their china closets an elaborate service of Worcester bearing the family arms and motto in appropriate emblazonment. In 1811, George IV being then prince regent, several splendid services of Worcester porcelain were ordered to equip his table for the new social duties entailed by his regency, and one of these alone cost £4,000. In the museums at the Worcester works there are specimens of many beautiful services designed in accordance with the contemporary ideas of pomp and stateliness.

The porcelain artists in those days must have been well versed in heraldry, for their chief duties seem to have been the reproduction of crests and coats of arms. Some of the services have interesting stories. There is one of deep royal blue, beautifully decorated and bearing in the center an emblematical figure of Hope. The story ran that it was ordered by Nelson for presentation to the Duke of Cumberland, and that the figure of Hope was really a portrait of Lady Hamilton. This, however, was an error. The service was ordered by the duke himself in the ordinary way, and though Lord Nelson did order a service of Worcester porcelain he died before it could be completed, and it was afterward dispersed.—Chambers' Journal.

### Beet Sugar Industry In France.

There was one sharp pinch. Coffee and sugar were no longer luxuries, but necessities, and through the continental embargo colonial wares had become and were likely to remain very dear and very scarce. Such substitutes as ingenuity could devise were gradually accepted for the former. To provide the latter the beet root industry was fostered by every means. The emperor kept a sample of sugar made from beets on his chimney piece as an ornament, and occasionally sent gifts of the precious commodity to his fellow sovereigns. The story is told that an official who had been banished from favor recovered his standing entirely by planting a whole estate with beets. Such traits were considered evidence of plain, homely common sense by the people, who enjoyed the sensation that their emperor participated in their feelings and daily shifts.—Professor Sloane in Century.

### Wind.

"These old Greeks seem to have had a god for almost everything. I wonder they did not have a god for prize fighting?"

"They did. His name was Eolus."—Indianapolis Journal.

### Not So Alarming as That.

She (calmly)—I think there is a burglar in the house. Listen!

He—Oh, that's a mouse you hear!

She (excitedly)—William, why do you seek to play upon my fears that way? You know it isn't a mouse!—Detroit Tribune.

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## IN 1906.

### An Evening Call In Which the Usual Conditions Are Reversed.

(Frank Russell ushers his friend, Tom Jarvis, into the library.) "So glad you came! Take this easy chair—here's a hassock for your feet—and tell me all the news."

"You're quite sure my dropping in this evening hasn't interfered with any of your plans?"

"Quite the contrary, my dear fellow. I'm delighted to see you, for I was feeling rather lonesome."

"Where are your wife and the children?"

"The children have gone to a little party at their Uncle John's, and my poor wife had to rush back to her office again as soon as she swallowed her dinner."

"So did my wife! After all, Frank, we housekeepers have a rather easy time of it. Of course we have our worries—servants and bills—but we always have our evenings free."

"Yes, and I for one am glad I am not an advanced man. I am willing to let the women attend to the business even if I can't have all the money I want."

"Dear boy, you don't manage your wife properly! Whenever Mrs. Jarvis is out very late at the club, I steal out of bed as soon as she is asleep and go through her pockets. She never knows just what became of that $5 or $10 she thought she had."

"Oh, Tom Jarvis, how can you!"—

"Don't look so horrified, Frank. When I married Mrs. Jarvis, didn't she say, 'With all my worldly goods I thee endow?' I'm sure that makes her money mine just as much as hers."

"I shouldn't dare to do that."

"Oh, you haven't the spirit of a mouse!"

"Maybe not. Now, when I want anything very much—a pair of trousers, for instance—I contrive to get up a crying spell. Mrs. Russell can't bear tears, so she yields at once."

"That wouldn't work with my wife any more than it did with Mrs. Perry."

"Every woman isn't such a hard hearted brute as she is."

"I should hope not! I suppose you heard that Mr. Perry got his divorce?"

"No! Did he? Any alimony?"

"Yes; Mrs. Perry has to pay him $50 a month and clothe the children."

"So the judge gave him the children?"

"Oh, of course. Mrs. Perry was not a fit person to have them, and anyway the law leaves them with the father until they are 7 years old."

"I wonder if he will marry again?"

"He told my brother that if he was once divorced nothing would ever induce him to put himself in subjection to a woman again."

"Humph! I'll warrant he will say yes to the first good looking woman with a good bank account who ventures to propose to him."

"Well, a lone man with three little boys is a helpless creature, and you can't much blame him for wanting a home and some one to care for him."

"Try a piece of this cake, Tom. It is a new sort, made from a recipe my father sent me from California."

"How delicious! May I ask how it is made?" And for the next hour those two men swapped recipes.—New York Herald.

### Florida Youth Seized by a Great Bird, Then Falls Forty Feet.

The other afternoon Harry, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrison of Gainesville, Fla., was carried 70 feet in the air by a pet eagle and dropped to what seemed certain death.

The child wandered to where the eagle makes its home and watches over a young eagle. Mrs. Morrison heard Harry screaming, and rushing out found the child in the mother bird's talons. As Mrs. Morrison approached, the eagle rose, bearing the child in its talons. When the bird had ascended about 70 feet, it began to slowly descend in answer to the cries of the young bird. When about 40 feet from the ground, the eagle dropped the boy, and he fell, striking and lodging in a big cedar tree. Mrs. Morrison fainted, but her husband, who had come up quickly, rescued the boy. Harry was stunned by the fall, but no bones were broken, and he was soon conscious. The boy's face and body, however, were badly lacerated by the eagle's talons. Mr. Morrison captured the eagle four years ago, and it is of great size.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

### An Ohio Substitute For Hanging.

A bill providing a substitute for hanging has been introduced in the Ohio legislature. It is proposed to use the invention of a Columbus citizen, by which, it is claimed, death will be produced in shorter time and with less suffering than by the rope or the electric chair. By this device the prisoner's head is placed in a viselike helmet, a lever is turned, and the bones of the head are crushed. The scheme, strangely enough, is receiving considerable support.

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## SUNBEAMS,

### Colonel Cockerill Decorated.

Advices to hand, per the Empress of China, just arrived from the east, announce that Colonel John A. Cockerill was, prior to his departure from Japan, called before the emperor and decorated with the Third Order of the Sacred Treasurer, an order seldom conferred on foreigners.

### Not Good at Guessing.

Some of the country's most eminent financiers proved to be very bad guessers as to the actual market value of bonds.—Washington Star.

### Ask Her—She's of Age.

A woman wants to be governor of Wyoming, or is it governess?—Chicago Tribune.

### An Unfriendly Inference.

The inference of a remark not infrequently arraigns the intention. Two friends were recently conversing about the disposition of the body after death, and after the subject had been considered in all its phases one said:

"Well, as far as I am individually concerned I would like to be cremated."

"I am in favor of that too," returned the other.—Boston Courier.

### An Example.

Teacher—Johnnie, I want you to use a sentence with the word disarrange.

Johnnie—I don't know none only what pop said dis mornin when he was lightin de fire.

"What did he say?"

"He said, 'Dam dis 'ere range.'"—Philadelphia Record.

### Rang the Bell on Him.

She—And are you sure, Algernon, that you never loved any girl but me?

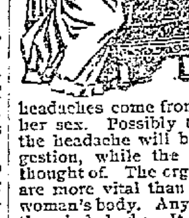
He (unblushingly)—I never even thought of love until I saw you, my darling.

And just then the steam radiator clanked.—Somerville Journal.

### A Grewsome Foe.

Oh, flee from his pathway all creatures of vice
And likewise all good men and true,
For he handles a weapon more cruel than nice,
And its terrors are thirsting for you.
His wounds are not mortal. He challenges not
To combat that reddens with blood.
But the blushes he raises are never forgot—
The man with a handful of mud.

And he hurls it on high, and he watches it spread,
And his laugh echoes fearful and loud.
He cares not though some may alight on his head
If it only bespatter the crowd.
The whiter the object the deeper the stain
When abuse covers all in its flood,
But his joys are his own, and he laughs at their pain—
The man with a handful of mud.
—Washington Star.



A woman's headaches may come from several causes. She may have a headache arising from nervousness, or from digestive disturbances; just the same as a man might suffer for the same reasons. Nine cases in ten, however, her headaches come from disorders peculiar to her sex. Possibly the apparent cause of the headache will be nervousness or indigestion, while the cause of these is not thought of. The organs distinctly feminine are more vital than any other organs in a woman's body. Any trouble of those affects the whole body. It may show itself in the symptoms which are characteristic of a dozen disorders. Thousands of times, women have been treated for the disorders thought to be indicated by these symptoms, when the real trouble was much deeper and more serious. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was compounded for the sole purpose of relieving womankind of the ills and pains very commonly considered the uncomfortable inheritance of her sex. It cures where really good physicians have failed. Thousands of women have testified that after taking treatment from several physicians without benefit, the "Favorite Prescription" cured them completely and quickly. It has been used for over thirty years, and has an unbroken record of success. The afflicted woman will find immediate relief and ultimate cure in the "Favorite Prescription." There is no doubt about it—there is no question about it. The woman who hesitates is invited to send 21 one-cent stamps to cover only the cost of mailing a copy of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. This celebrated work contains full information about Dr. Pierce's medicines, with the reproduced photographs of hundreds of people who have been cured by these world-famed remedies, also giving their names and addresses, besides plain, clear information about all of the organs of the human body and their functions. It has reached the unprecedented sale of 680,000 copies at $1.50 a copy. Thus the expense of preparation has been defrayed, and now 500,000 copies will be absolutely given away. Remember that this book is not a mere advertising pamphlet, but a genuine standard work of 1008 large pages, over 300 illustrations, some of them in colors. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y.

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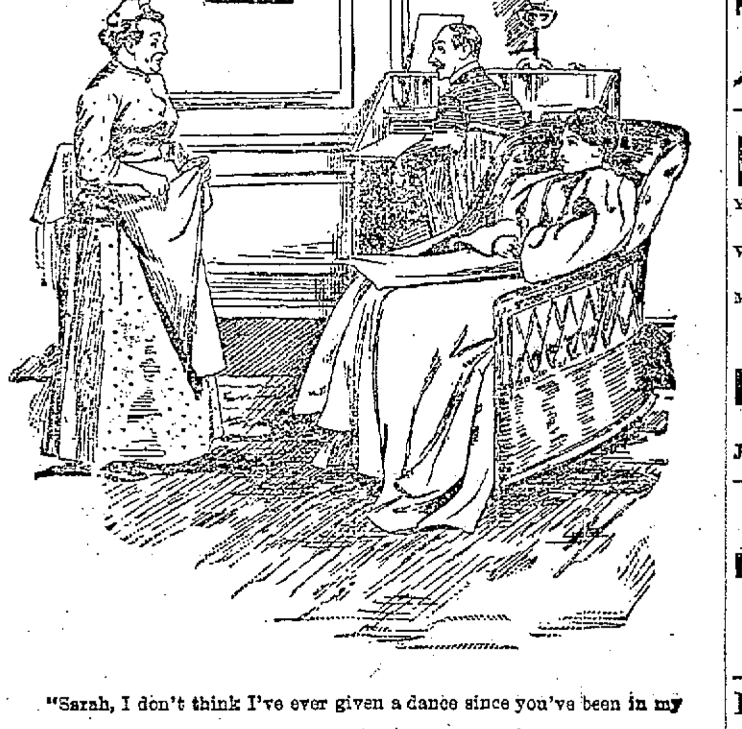

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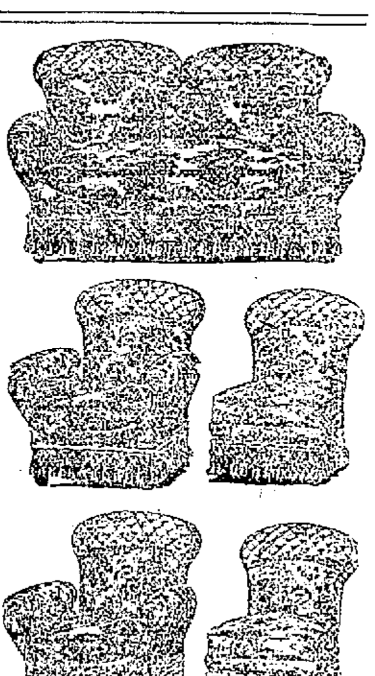

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# IT IS THE LATEST UTOPIAN

## HIS NAME IS SMITH—ERECTS ON PAPER A MODEL SOCIETY.

**A Plan Which Differs From Bellamyism and Is Co-operative Rather Than Socialistic—Capital to Be the Servant and Not the Master of Labor.**

The efforts of man to realize an ideal democracy have been many, and despite numerous failures and glaring relapses, even under free governments, men still dream of and seek to invent the perfect state—ideal society. The progress of the civilized world is constantly in the direction of a nobler ideal of life for all the people, but even in America we are yet far from "a government of the people, by the people and for the people." Indeed, it would sometimes seem that, having tasted the fruits of liberty, we are turning away from her bounteous tables to the sole pursuit of private wealth, the possession of which constitutes any one a member of the aristocracy ipso facto. Under this tendency we have in the last generation drifted into conditions which have obtained under monarchical forms of government, so that men have pertinently asked wherein the American republic differed from or was any better than European countries. In the latter we see a constituted aristocracy whose appointment carries with it large patrimonies of wealth in the shape of land, the primary factor of production.

In America we have evolved a ruling aristocracy, entrance into which is gained merely by the possession of wealth in any form. Under both forms of government the producing masses have become either servants or subject to the tribute exacted by wealth in the shape of interest. The economic blanket covers and oppresses all except the few who are on top of it, and consequently there is a constant struggle to get on top by any means, and let who must stay under and yield his quota of tribute obtained by the pressure of "the accumulation" from above.

In view of these facts and not overlooking the many unsuccessful projects essaying to establish a society of equality and fraternity, it is pleasant to note that the hope of a perfect social industrial society is yet ever engaging the best minds. They are in the field of economics what the inventors are in the mechanical world.

Titus K. Smith is the latest of our economic inventors. In a book entitled "Altruria" he pictures his Utopia. The New York Herald says of the work: "In 'Altruria' he pictures for us a model world, in which poverty is unknown and in which human beings are from every point of view better off than they are in our common place, everyday world of capitalists and wageworkers."

The unit in Mr. Smith's plan is the township. He would transform each township into a little democracy of the most perfect and delightful type. The township corporation is to own the land and supply all machinery and other implements of production, and the corporation is, of course, owned and controlled by the citizens of the township. The author furnishes a complete financial plan which is claimed to be as feasible as that of any railroad or manufacturing corporation. Under this system the working producers would employ capital as their servant through the township corporation.

The plan is not socialistic, but co-operative. Combining in production and exchange to secure the best possible results, each family receives, owns and enjoys as it wills its share of the total product. All the benefits claimed for socialism are realized, while maintaining individual liberty and the private initiative. The object is to give man perfect freedom by having the township corporation co-operate with the individual producer, furnishing him the use of land and all the implements of production.

The picture of "Altruria" (the name of a township) is certainly a beautiful and a hopeful one.

Another feature of "Altruria" is that its teachings can be utilized as a whole or in part. It is not improbable that certain propositions will at an early day be considered politically actionable. There is not a business man in the United States, east, west, north or south, who would not be thankful for the system of transportation proposed by Mr. Smith, and his ideas on the currency question also deserve consideration at this time, when different sections of the country are estranged by differences on the money question. He would cut the gordian knot of this question, and then, by a new system of transportation, bind all sections together inseparably for all future time.

The author of this book, at the age of 12, was a miner. A few years later he had a practical acquaintance with farming, and at 17 he went to college, earning his way by teaching, and has since followed a mercantile vocation. He therefore brings to bear on his subject not only theoretical but also practical knowledge of the world's affairs.

JARB.

### After "Our" Amos.

The late seceders from District Assembly No. 49 of New York, known as the Socialistic Labor alliance, have adopted a resolution requesting Typographical Union No. 6 to drop the name of Amos J. Cummings from its roll of membership because that gentleman is advocating the increase of the United States army, for which reason they consider him an enemy of organized labor, the inference being that the army is only kept to subdue workmen when striking for better conditions. It is not very likely that Big Six will grant the request, as the majority of its members believe Mr. Cummings the only logical candidate for president of the United States this year, and are willing to guarantee him a labor indorsement.—New York News.

### Spared For Once.

A report that Mme. Patti intended to give a farewell farewell tour has proved to be without foundation.—Washington Star.

### Plenty of Chances to Win—or Lose.

There are said to be more than 1,000 organized mining companies in the Cripple Creek district.—Omaha Bee.

## THE PROBLEM OF POVERTY.

**Extract From Address Made Before the Chicago Society For Ethical Culture.**

The problem of the poor is not one that concerns the poor alone, but all members of society. The moment we study the causes of poverty we learn that the poor are victims of conditions and influences over which they have but partial control. There must be reform in other grades of society before the difficulties which afflict the submerged tenth shall disappear.

We must not suppose that any great amount of permanent improvement can be secured through the distribution of more material things, either in so called charity or even under improved industrial conditions. Social adjustment among men depends upon good will and friendly co-operation as well as upon material.

Neither can we expect hope from that so called charity which, while it gives less attention to the distribution of material things, insists that the poor must be saving and thrifty and make the best of it. The old charity, which is a part of the old political economy, as said to the poor for more than a generation past, the only way to secure wealth is to save it, and you, the poor, may become wealthy if, like the rest of us, you are sufficiently thrifty and saving. Now, it is quite possible that a movement looking to the improved conditions in the slums of cities or improved industrial conditions in sweatshops, stores and factories must largely come from the people who suffer. It is a historical fact that most reforms have come up from the bottom and have not been superinduced from the top. Be that as it may, the object which we seek for the poor as for all members of society is life, as broad, as complete, as cultivated as we can secure. This includes education, which will keep the individual above the line of want, and it includes healthy social amusement and recreation, which is a main safeguard of morals.

By means of this principle as a beacon light, a larger and fuller life for the poor, let us examine some of the charitable methods at present applied. In the first place, it is necessary to keep in mind that municipal improvement and industrial reform are matters of growth and come slowly. Better city government would greatly relieve poverty, better industrial conditions will make it possible for thousands to live better lives and be less dependent upon society; but, meantime, here is our suffering neighbor, and what are we going to do with him? We cannot see little children perish in our midst. If we have got to feed our neighbor, and for the present it looks as if we have to do it, how shall we do it for his best good and for the best good of society at large?

I am exceedingly anxious to make a very clear distinction between the one-tenth of the population who make up the very poor and the three-tenths of the population who make up the great body of the working people. It should be clearly and finally understood that efforts for the intelligent application of charitable methods apply to the very poor, and not the great body of self supporting and independent laborers. The numbers of the very poor and the conditions under which they live depend to very great degree upon the general industrial conditions which apply to the working people. Better wages and shorter hours will make higher life possible and will make men able to do more for their families and widows with little children more able to be independent of any material aid, and to this end I must ask your careful consideration of Charles Booth's classification of the population in a great city. All the world recognizes his authority and I suppose the conditions in parts of Chicago are not materially different from those indicated by Mr. Booth, although the greater intensity of energy here results in more rapid social change.

Mr. Booth's classification is as follows:

| | Per cent. |
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| A. The lowest class of occasional laborers loafers and semicriminals | 1¼ |
| B. Casual earnings—"very poor" | 11¼ |
| C. Intermittent earnings—"poor" | 8 |
| D. Small regular earnings—"poor" | 14½ |
| E. Regular standard earnings—above the line of poverty | 42 |
| F. High class labor | 13½ |
| G. Lower middle class | 4 |
| H. Upper middle class | 5 |

The principal causes of poverty are inadequate natural resources, bad climatic conditions, defective sanitation, evil associations and surroundings, defective legislation, defective judicial and punitive machinery, misdirected and inadequate education, bad industrial conditions, unwise philanthropy.

If charity and charitable methods are necessary evils, let us see that by intelligent and co-operative work the evils are eliminated as far as possible and that simple, gentle care for one another, which is true charity, and which is not an evil, has a permanent biding foothold among us.—Dr. Philip W. Ayres.

### Crusade Against Carnegie.

John McLuckie, who was mayor of Homestead at the time of the great strike in 1892, made a speech recently to the Central Labor union of New York in which he said:

"I have the evidence against Carnegie in my possession, and I will push the company to the wall if I can. I will compel Carnegie to disgorge the $5,500,000 he obtained by fraud from the government. This matter must be pushed before the senate, and by God's will I will push it until Andrew Carnegie is a pauper. His iron and steel companies were a few years ago rated as being worth $70,000,000. Now they are rated at only $30,000,000, and when I get through they will be worth nothing."

### Cigar Making Reviving.

From the offices of the International Cigar Makers' union comes the news of a general revival in business. The cigar makers regard themselves in the light of a barometer in the business world for the reason that their product is considerable of a luxury, and its consumption depends to a greater or less degree upon general business.

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FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

# A BAD COLLISION

## On Lowell and Reading Electric Railroad.

ELECTRIC CAR AND SNOW-PLOW CRASH TOGETHER.

Charles Doherty of This City Seriously Injured.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

READING, Mass., Feb. 19.—A bad collision occurred on the Lowell and Reading electric railroad near Wilmington about 10 o'clock this morning.

A car bound for Lowell collided with an electric snow plow in a blinding snow squall, as both were rounding a sharp curve, the motorman on the electric and one passenger being seriously injured.

The car was completely demolished.

There were 17 passengers in the car at the time and all were thrown from their seats.

One of the passengers, Charles Doherty of Lowell, sat at the front end of the car and was caught in the shattered portion of the front platform. He was badly crushed and otherwise injured.

Neither motorman could see the other car until too late to avert a collision.

Both speedily reversed brakes and this undoubtedly prevented a fatality.

Greatly exaggerated reports were spread about, but they were proven untrue. The wreck was cleared from the track shortly after noon.

### HOT FROM THE WIRE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

A strike among the shoe makers in Haverhill is imminent.

Maher's eyes are rapidly improving and he will be in condition to enter the ring on Friday.

J. P. Morgan's syndicate has been awarded $4,700,000, 47 bonds additional.

The clergy of all denominations in Manitoba are objecting to the idea of secular schools.

In Tacoma, Wash., the federal grand jury has returned an indictment with 40 counts against W. G. Peters, cashier of the Columbia National bank.

A victory for the Cubans is reported.

### COUNTY TRUANT SCHOOL.

**Entertainment Given Under Direction of Mr. Thornton.**

William F. Thornton, the truant commissioner, directed a very pleasant entertainment at the Middlesex County Truant school in North Chelmsford last evening.

Supt. Warren is anxious to arrange a course of entertainments for the boys at the institution and upon his invitation Mr. Thornton arranged a program that pleased the boys immensely.

The program was as follows: Song, T. F. Molloy; recitation, William D. Regan; song, James E. Donnelly; duet, T. F. Molloy and James E. Donnelly; song, William T. Thornton; violin solo, John Donnelly; song, Frank M. Fagan; recitation, James Hennessy; duet, William F. Thornton and James E. Donnelly.

### REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

**Bids For Mason Work Opened Yesterday.**

The county commissioners yesterday opened bids for mason work on the new registry of deeds building in Cambridge.

They were for four classes of work, designated as follows: No. 1, limestone facing with brick back; No. 2, Baltimore face brick, Kibbe sandstone trimming; No. 3, same brick, granite trimming; No. 4, same brick, sandstone trimming.

The bids were as follows:

Conway & Wentworth, $293,000, $249,000, $261,000, $245,000.

P. O'Hearn, $318,859, $273,940, $279,960, $279,000.

Staples Brothers, $298,000, $246,000, $252,000, $244,000.

T. Connell, $230,000, $180,000, $194,000, $188,000.

Clarke & Co., $277,000, $202,800, $217,000, $207,400.

J. C. Baker, Boston, $300,000, $237,050, $253,050, $256,056.

Long Brothers, $341,000, $245,380, $305,344, $293,054.

D. H. Wilcutt & Son, Boston, $270,715, $225,626, $246,999, $221,301.

Norcross Brothers, Worcester, $218,000, $236,000, $245,000, $235,000.

E. H. Jaques, Boston, $274,000, $210,775, $224,775, $210,775.

Mead & Mason, $313,918, $255,000, $281,520, $265,900.

William Sampson & Son, $293,237, $259,162, $283,162, $259,162.

The bids averaged as follows: $271,052, $250,134, $255,318, $252,886.

No award of contract will be made till the judges of probate and register of deeds are satisfied that the work can be done for the amount appropriated.

### DEATHS.

BROWN—Amos F. Brown, aged 72 years, died yesterday at his home, 307 Middlesex street.

MOORE—Louisa H. Moore, wife of Charles G. Moore, died at East Bridgewater Feb. 15. Mrs. Moore was well known in Lowell, having lived in Pelham for many years. She leaves a husband and five children.

WELCH—Mary Welch, aged 34 years, died last evening at her home, corner Hildreth and Hampshire streets.

HALL—John C. Hall, one of the best known wool-buyers of Boston, and one of Chelsea's most prominent citizens, died Monday. Mr. Hall was born in Croyden, N. H., in 1832. The remains were brought to this city for interment.

### Highland Billiards.

In the Highland billiard tournament last night Team Four defeated Team Seven by four points. Charleton, Wellmand and Bradbury reached their rating.

The score:

Team Four—Charleton, 110; Wellman, 75; Goddard, 63; Pierce, 57; total, 307.

Team Seven—Landers, 85; Church, 77; Freeman, 71; Bradbury, 70; total, 303.

# GANLIN CAUGHT

## Forger Who Skipped With Lowell Woman

HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN EFFINGHAM, ILL.

Miss Hutchins Told the Police His Whereabouts.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NASHUA, N. H., Feb. 19.—A dispatch from Effingham, Ill., states that Gustave Ganlin of Woonsocket, R. I., son of a wealthy resident of that place who raised considerable money by forging his father's name and who skipped to Chicago with a girl named Hutchins residing in Lowell, has been arrested at that place.

It will be remembered that the Hutchins woman deserted Ganlin in Chicago and returned to Lowell and it is said it was she who informed the police of his whereabouts resulting in his arrest.

Ganlin is the son of Alphonse Ganlin, one of the wealthiest citizens of Woonsocket.

### LOCAL NOTES.

Seven new members were initiated into the reform club last evening.

I. H. Sternberg has been invited to lecture before the Y. M. C. I.

There was no session of St. Patrick's parochial school this morning.

A number of Lowell people attended the bicycle show in Boston yesterday.

The second farmers' institute of the Middlesex North for 1896 was held in Acton yesterday.

Mrs. Abbie F. Hill read a paper on Poe before the Women's Educational club yesterday.

The overseers of the poor went to Springfield today to visit the institution there.

R. C. Watton while getting down from his cart yesterday in West Chelmsford fell and sustained a bad injury to his side.

Mr. J. A. Storey, proprietor of the New York Cloak and Suit Co., has left for New York where he intends spending a few weeks inspecting the different lines of new spring cloaks and suits.

The Burkes managed a most successful dance at their hall last night. The officers were: General manager, Jas. H. Winn; assistant, William Lawler; floor director, John F. McCann; assistant, James J. Redmond.

### FUNERAL SERVICES.

HEATH—The body of Wm. Heath, who died Feb. 12 in Philadelphia, arrived in Lowell yesterday and the burial was in the Edson cemetery.

GRAVES—The funeral services of Orville D. Graves were held yesterday at his home, 27 Liberty street. Rev. George F. Kengott was the officiating clergyman, and the bearers were Deacons Frye and Eaton and M. C. True and John McQuestion. Burial was in the Lowell cemetery.

QUIRK—The funeral of John J. Quirk took place yesterday afternoon from his parents' home, 185 Adams street and was very largely attended. The pall-bearers were James Burns, Michael Hennessey, John Nevins, Jeremiah Reardon, Patrick Bagley and Jame Kelly. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

DAILEY—The funeral of Bridget Dailey was held this morning from her late home in Graniteville and was attended by many friends and relatives of the deceased. At St. Catherine's church a requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Shaw for the repose of her soul. The remain's were interred in the Catholic cemetery in this city.

### The First Church Bill.

The petition of Charles W. Durant and others for a bill allowing all those holding seats in the First Congregational church to vote in the society, and merging the church and society into one body will be heard in the room of the private secretary at the state house. Thursday morning, Feb. 27, at 10.30 o'clock, before the committee on parishes and religious societies.

### A Trolley Party.

The teachers of St. Patrick's Sunday school with their friends held a trolley party to Lawrence last evening.

There were 32 in the party and in Lawrence supper was parraken of and the evening was passed in the enjoyment of a musical and literary program.

### A Whist Party.

Miss Elizabeth Dillon of Belvidere gave a whist party in honor of Miss Etta Bannon of Waltham. The evening was very enjoyably passed.

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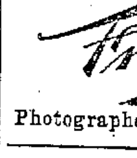

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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Elizabeth, alias Lizzie Sweeney late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

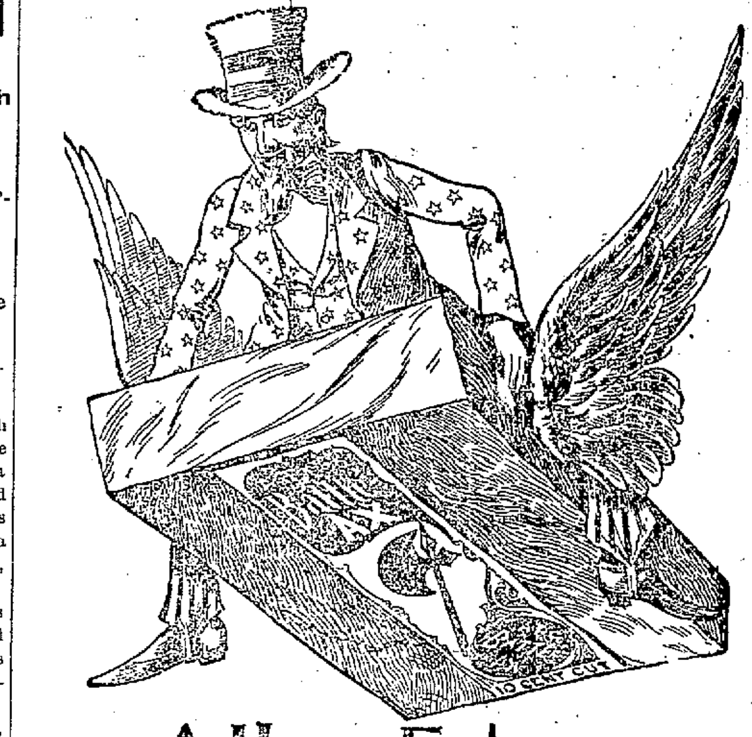
Whereas, Bernard Sweeney, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court for allowance the first and final account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for distribution of the balance in his hands among the widow and next of kin of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of February A. D., 1896, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and a distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the LOWELL DAILY SUN, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.



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**Winter Arrangement.**

WESTERN DIVISION.

Corrected to October 20, 1895.

TRAINS LEAVE MIDDLESEX STREET DEPOT, LOWELL.

For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.35, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05 12.45, 2.30, 3.20, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 2.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 6.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Saco and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays): SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones of Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

**Southern Division.**

On and After Oct. 20, 1895, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:

For Boston, 6 45, 6 30, ¶6 50, *7 45, *8 50, ¶9 00, *9 40, 11 00 a. m.; 1 40, ¶3.00, 4.30, ¶5 33 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8 45 a. m.

Trains Leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5 48, 6 24, ¶6 33, §7 01, §7 18, §*7 27, *7 46, *8 57, 9 03, *9 30 11 03, 11 41 a.m; 12 16, 1 43, ¶3 03, *4 00, 4 33, 5 20, ¶5 38, 6 24, 7 52 p.m. SUNDAYS, §*7 18, §*7.27, 1 45, *9 16 a. m; §4 25, §5 58 p. m.

For Woburn, 6 30, §7 01, 7 45, 11 00 a.m.; 1 40, 4 30 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8 45 a. m., §4 25, §5 58 p.m.

*Express. §Northern Depot Only. ¶Via Bedford.

For Lawrence, 6.30, 10.00 a. m; 4.15, 5.50 p. m

For Salem, and Way Stations, §7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m.

☞ Time given below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction, and Way Stations, 7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.14 a. m.; 1.00, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene, 9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.14 9.45 a.m; 12.11, 1.00, 1 42, 3.43, 5.42, 6.20, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.09 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3 a.m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.14, 9.45 a. m; 12.11, (1.42 to Franklin and Bristol only), 5.42, †8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40 a. m; 1.42 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m; 1.42, †8.43 p. m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

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## SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR THURSDAY, FEB. 20.

SUN RISES..... 6 34 | MOON SETS.... morn
SUN SETS..... 5 23 | FULL SEA .. 3 30 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..10 49 | ..... 3 45 PM

Forecast for New England: Clearing and colder, with a cold wave; high northwesterly winds.

## LOCAL NEWS.

The gentlemen's delight, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan b'd.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co.; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

Rubbers repaired, Cunningham's, Palmer street.

Isyourbinlow? If so order your coal now of Rourke & Sullivan by postal or telephone.

If your coal does not suit you try Mullin, the 1018 Gorham street coal dealer. You can get him by telephone 21-6.

The sidewalk in front of the police station is covered with snow and ice, and it is about time it was cleared off.

A horse driven by a man named Weaver fell at the corner of Central and Middlesex streets yesterday afternoon, and cut its leg badly.

The case of the French Protestant church vs. the Bergan church was called in the police court yesterday, but nothing was done, it being postponed to Friday, Feb. 28.

It was ladies' night at the Highland club last evening, and the "long" was largely attended. Hibbard's orchestra furnished music.

The physical examination of candidates for the police force took place yesterday afternoon. It is said some of the candidates were too strong.

The choir of St. Michael's church is to rehearse Cherubini's Coronation mass for Easter. Stearns' musical vespers with orchestral accompaniment will be sung in the evening.

## L'UNION FRANCO-AMERICAINE

**Canvass For the Candidates For Office in Model Government.**

Just at present a lively canvass is being carried on among the French voters of the city.

It will be remembered that several weeks ago the city committee of L'Union Franco-Americane met and selected candidates for the offices in the model government.

Pierre A. Brosseau and William Drapeau were nominated as opposing candidates for mayor and the former felt confident of winning. Just as things looked brightest for him Avilla Bourbonniere at the solicitation of many votes resigned his position as city clerk of the model government and became a full-fledged candidate for mayor, on what is termed the the independent ticket. The fight narrowed down to Brosseau and Bourbonniere, and has now become a personal one in which each man is striving for the position because of the prestige it may give him with those outside the ranks of the French votes.

Briefly Mr Brousseau and Mr. Bourbonniere are engaged in a contest, which will determine, if reports are true, who has the greater following among the French people. Mr. Brousseau is quoted as saying recently, "I don't see why Bourbonniere wanted to enter this fight, but now that he is in it he will have to hustle to win."

## THE DRIVEN WELLS.

**City Engineer Bowers Read an Instructive Paper on the Plant.**

Before the New England Water Works association at Young's hotel, a few days ago, City Engineer Bowers read a very instructive article upon the driven well system.

He described the work, the plant, and the results obtained in a thoroughly scientific manner. He showed that the average quantity pumped per day since April 5, 1895, was 3,049,878 gallons.

**"Isaac" Not a Candidate.**

Some joker told the Rev. William Waldorf Jackson, Jr., the opponent of Smith for the presidency that J. J. Mahoney, the proprietor of the "Clipper Shades," is a delegate to the republican national convention and the Rev. W. W. lost no time in sending some cards to Mr. Mahoney.

The latter denies that he is a republican delegate and says, furthermore, that he would be a Smith man had he a vote in the convention.

Noel Goodrue has organized a Jackson club in Ayer City. He is president, Jack Graves, vice president, and Charlie Pupprecht is treasurer.

**Change of Base.**

Henry Flood, the well-known cigar and tobacco dealer and manufacturer, has moved two doors below his old store and he has his men making his celebrated spindle cigar in the window. They are a great attraction and cause people to stand at the windows as there is a novelty about cigar making that attracts the attention of every body passing. Henry is well pleased with his change. He is quite popular and he merits the large patronage he is receiving. He has a large and select line of meerschaums and briar pipes. Henry invites all his friends to visit his new store.

**Lenten Services.**

The services in St. Michael's church were very largely attended last evening, the church being crowded to the doors.

Rev. Fr. Gilday preached an eloquent sermon appropriate to the Lenten season, taking for his theme "Death and Judgment."

Over thirteen hundred people received the ashes with the admonition "Dust thou art and unto dust thou will return."

The services at the other Catholic churches were also largely attended.

**Jim Eddy's Braves.**

"Should auld acquaintance be forgot?" The ninth annual concert and ball of the Veteran Firemen's Association will be held in Huntington hall tomorrow evening, and it will be a grand affair. Hibbard's orchestra will furnish music. THE SUN acknowledges the receipt of an invitation.

**Dress Suits**

In the very best style made from latest material and up to date in every respect, by Louis Alexander, formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, importer and tailor, 65 Central street Lowell, Mass.

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## MOST INTELLIGENT DOG

### THE GIFT OF MISS GUINEY OF AUBURNDALE.

**It Escorts the Children to the Kindergarten and Goes for Them When the School is Over.**

William Guiney of Broadway has the largest and most intelligent dog in this city. It is a full blooded St. Bernard, weighs over 100 pounds and is eleven months old. The dog was presented by his niece, Imogene Guiney, postmistress of Auburndale. The dog escorts Mr. Guiney's children to the kindergarten and then returns home and goes back for them when school is over. It is safe to say that there is no fear of the children being harmed either going to or coming from the school.

### SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

With the boom in the theatrical business we may expect to have a roof garden here in the summer.

Every business place is annoyed by some particular loafer.—Atchinson Globe.

Sometimes it's the proprietor.—Boston Globe.

Either he or the "tad," man in one business office we know of.

"You talk mighty independent," said the ward heeler, with an ugly scowl, "but let me tell you, boss, you'll never run your little boom through my precinct unless I do the steerin'."

"I think I'll get along without you" replied the candidate. "If I need to have any steering done, sir, there are rudders."

And he sternly bowed him out.

There are various definitions of a mean man but the following is the latest:

The Boston Transcript has heard of an economical man. He is a locksmith, and needing a sign he went to a sign painter and got an estimate for lettering. Then he nailed two locks to a board and asked the painter to paint after them the word "smith." The Philadelphia Ledger suggests, however, that it would have been cheaper to have used only one lock and paid the painter for an "s."

Following is the text of an order that is now being enforced in the New York police department:

When a superior officer enters the reading room of the station house, and the policemen are sitting about playing dominoes, or reading, they must rise and stand at attention until he leaves the room. The same respect must be shown to a superior officer when the policeman is off duty as when he is on duty.

If the Lowell police commission sees this item, this new rule will undoubtedly be adopted as metropolitan methods are now in order in every department.

Officer Redmond Welch made a great capture yesterday morning and later, assisted by Officer Jack Leighton made another equally important, bagging the burglars who have been working with impunity in two or more cities, judging from appearances. They admitted having entered three places in this city and when questioned about some of the property found in their room answered that they had stolen it but could not remember "at just which place" indicating that they had robbed a number of stores. It is probable that the man whom Officer Welch intercepted on Tilden street at four o'clock in the morning was out for no good purpose, armed as he was with a revolver and a butcher's cleaver. It was a great catch and the officer deserves highest commendation. Undoubtedly the commissioners will notice the capture officially.

## COULDN'T STAND WEATHER.

**One of Cheney's Latest Teamsters Was Actually Frozen Out.**

One of the new "Provincial" teamsters on the street department had a tough experience at his first day's work, Monday.

If report be true, Cleve put the man in question on for the first time Monday morning and though from the Provinces he couldn't stand the severe cold and was obliged to quit after his ears and nose had been frostbitten.

It is also said that the first Frenchman to get anything out of the republicans this year is seen to go to work on a team leaving the employ of the street railroad for his new job.

**No Parade in Lawrence.**

The annual St. Patrick's day convention of the Lawrence societies was held Tuesday evening and it was decided not to parade this year.

## BAY STATE LEGISLATURE

### THE LOWELL AND SUBURBAN PETITION GRANTED.

**Other Matters of Importance—Boston Emergency Hospital.**

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—The most interesting hearing at the state house yesterday was upon the question of granting state aid to the amount of $50,000 to the Boston Emergency hospital. Very much was said in praise of the institution, but the testimony was not all one way. The committee on banks and banking considered several matters of especial interest to persons interested in co-operative banking.

In the senate the committee on fisheries and game reported back the bill making appropriations for salaries and expenses of the fish and game commission, rejecting the amendments offered by Mr. Maccabe. Mr. Maccabe offered certain amendments making the appropriation for the compensation and expenses of the commissioners $32,000, instead of $35,000, and the appropriation for current expenses to carry out the laws relative to fish and game $52,000, instead of $55,000. The bill, with these amendments, was then referred to the fish and game committee, who reported that the bill ought to pass without the amendments.

The committee on harbors and public lands reported several bills authorizing the town of Falmouth to appropriate money for the construction and maintenance of a breakwater and to construct certain bridges.

Reports of committees: Towns—A bill authorizing the town of Cottage City to appropriate annually not exceeding $500 for public amusements. Agriculture—A bill requiring docked horses to be provided with a netting in June, July, August and September. Roads and bridges—A bill providing for an apportionment of betterment assessments on real estate. Street railways—A bill authorizing the Lowell and Reading Street Railway company to construct, maintain and operate its railway in Billerica, Reading and Wilmington.

## MUST APOLOGIZE

### Convas' Remarks Insulting to United States.

### STRONG PROTEST ENTERED BY MINISTER TAYLOR.

### Received With Bad Grace in Some Quarters.

MADRID, Feb. 20.—The Imparcial credits the story published by The Heraldo, saying that Hannis Taylor, the United States minister here, addressed a curt note to the Spanish government demanding explanations regarding an address delivered before a geographical society by Senor Convas, who commanded the caravel Santa Maria, which was sent by Spain to the Columbian exposition.

HANNIS TAYLOR.

In this address, Senor Convas gave his impressions of his visit to the United States. But it would seem that he undoubtedly used language which was offensive to the United States minister, hence the latter's demand for an explanation.

The Imparcial asserts that Mr. Taylor's demand was couched in hurtful language, adding: It seems to be the acme of sensitiveness. Our international relations show greater grievances than this.

The minister of marine, Jose Maria de Beranger, resents, according to The Heraldo, the tone of Mr. Taylor's note, considering it unjustified, as the address of Senor Convas was delivered before a private geographical society.

The Imparcial takes the same ground, saying that the United States minister's demand is entirely unprecedented, as the geographical society before which the address was made is not an official body. The Imparcial adds, ironically: There is no doubt that this development of international law may be introduced by the United States into any case, and it is very striking testimony of the relations existing between the two governments.

Senor Convas, it appears, asserted that the moral atmosphere of the United States was very defective, and that family relations lacked much to be desired. Education, he also said, while widespread, was only on the surface, and American politicians, he added, have no prestige. He concluded by remarking that in America everything is sacrificed to the almighty dollar, and that business and materialities of life drown all noble sentiments.

Admiral Beringer, minister of marine, made an investigation as to the circumstances of the address delivered by Convas. The latter has denied the accuracy of the extracts of his lecture which were published in the press, and has said there was nothing in it offensive to America.

Don Antonio Canovas del Castillo, the premier, has determined to ask Senor Convas to write a full apology for his references to the United States in the lecture which has been the cause of irritation.

The government has offered Minister Taylor satisfactory assurance of its sincere friendship for the American nation.

**Congressional Doings.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—In the senate yesterday, Mr. Carter (Mon.) offered a resolution to recommit the tariff bill to the finance committee for further consideration. This move by one of the four Republican senators who voted against taking up the tariff bill caused much interesting comment. Mr. Carter did not press the resolution, but said he would ask to take it up next Monday, when he would address the senate on its adoption. The announcement was accepted as foreshadowing a statement of the attitude and purposes of the silver senators who have voted against considering the tariff bill. The house yesterday devoted itself strictly to business. The army appropriation bill, carrying $23,275,902 was passed, the conference report on the urgent deficiency bill was adopted and the bill to extend for five years the time in which the government can bring suits to annul patents to public lands under railroad and wagon road grants was passed.

**Ready For Trial.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—The Congregational council which is investigating the charges of immorality against Rev. C. O. Brown is now fully organized and ready to proceed with the actual trial of the accused clergyman. M. S. Woodhamer, representative of the First Congregational church, of which Dr. Brown is pastor, before the council, was appointed judge advocate when the council had been convened. The committee of charges represented that four charges had been preferred against Dr. Brown by Sarah B. Cooper, assistant pastor of the church, and by her daughter, Hattie Cooper.

**Carver Chosen Commander.**

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 20.—The department of Maine's Grand Army yesterday voted to hold the encampment in Lewiston in 1897. Great excitement attended the election of department commander. Colonel L. D. Carver of Rockland was elected on the third ballot, and the election was made unanimous. The other officers elected were: Senior vice commander, William Fonnelly, Bar Harbor; junior vice commander, James J. Chase; medical director, Dr. John H. Macgregor, Enfield; chaplain, J. W. Webster, Newport; council of administration, G. B. Haskell, Charles H. Hooper, John B. Carson.

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## NOTED DISTURBER SHOT

### THE MAN WHO WAS HUNG BY HIS THUMBS

**At Pittsburg and Drummed From a Pennsylvania Regiment in 1893.**

BALTIMORE, Feb. 20.—William H. Iams was shot and probably fatally injured in a quarrel with Charles Arndt early yesterday morning. Iams is the man who was hung up by the thumbs, had his head shaved and was drummed out of camp while serving in a Pennsylvania regiment of militia during the riots at Homestead in 1893. Arndt is a musician, 55 years old, and the shooting was done at the boarding house of the men. It grew out of Iams' alleged habit of coming in late and making a noise.

**Syndicate Ready to Help.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—A local paper prints an interview with Dr. Guiterns of the Philadelphia Cuban junta, who says that a syndicate has made an offer to take $5,000,000 of Cuban bonds if the insurgents are granted belligerent rights by the United States. The price the syndicate will pay, he says, will be about 45 cents on the dollar, giving the Cubans about $5,000,000. If the insurgents succeed, he asserts, not only will the new bonds be paid, but those issued during the 10 years' war.

**Overcome by Gas.**

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—Owing to a break in a gas main on Clarendon street, the entire household of Dr. R. E. Dixon were nearly suffocated by gas. The family consists of the doctor and his wife, three daughters, Miss Dixon, the doctor's sister; Vincent Fetherston and two servants. Considerable difficulty was experienced in arousing one of the smaller children, while the two servants were found in an unconscious condition, and were only resuscitated by the prompt application of restoratives.

**Not Likely to Be Needed.**

HALIFAX, Feb. 20.—Students of the Dalhouse university, filled with martial spirit, are forming two companies of militia, which will be drafted into the Sixty-third Battalion of Rifles. Each company will be 50 or 60 strong, and twice the requisite number have already volunteered. The Canadian government has been asked to approve of the scheme, which has been in progress ever since President Cleveland's message to congress on the Venezuelan dispute.

**Used Knife Freely.**

PETERBORO, Ont., Feb. 20.—John McGee came into the village hotel yesterday, and, being refused a drink, plunged his knife in the throat of Proprietor William Bowman. John Arnott, a boarder, interfered in behalf of Bowman, when McGee turned and stabbed him in the groin. Bowman is very seriously injured, and Arnott will die. The murderer was arrested.

**Informant Gets a Thousand.**

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 20.—The total fines on the British Hosiery company for violation of the contract labor law are $3007. The company has submitted to judgment without trial, and of this amount Thomas Wardell, the informant against the company, will get $1000. Wardell claims he was not well used by the company and this caused the disclosure.

**Given No Assurance.**

SACO, Me., Feb. 20.—There are no new developments in the strike situation, except that Agent Page denies that he told the strike committee that the operatives could return to their looms, under the old schedule, next Monday. He says he gave them no assurance that they could ever return. The strikers are very blue at the prospect.

**Against Civil Service Reform.**

ANNAPOLIS, Feb. 20.—The house of representatives yesterday practically killed civil service reform in Maryland by passing the Bruce bill, with a clause attached referring the whole matter to a vote of the people at the election in November. A bitter fight was made against the bill, and the referendum clause was designed to kill.

**Jury In Doubt.**

TAUNTON, Mass., Feb. 20.—The jury disagreed in the manslaughter case against Caroline Therchera of New Bedford, yesterday, and her bail was reduced from $10,000 to $3000. She hit Antone Soares over the head with a stick of wood and he died shortly afterward.

**Better Times at Hand.**

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 20.—The Candee Rubber works, which give employment to 1800 people, started up in full today. Nearly every department has been closed since last month, owing to an overstocked market.

## THE NEW CASTLE HORROR.

**Number of Victims Will Fall But Little Below Sixty.**

NEW CASTLE, Colo., Feb. 20.—When the work of rescue was temporarily suspended yesterday the Vulcan mine had, all told, yielded up four of its dead. That was the work of exactly 24 hours. How many more bodies remain within is still somewhat a matter of conjecture, although the most reliable figures make the number 47. The officials of the Vulcan Fuel company have checked up 51 lamps in all that were given out Tuesday morning. Probably it will be found that there are four or five more; but, without apparent question, the number of victims will not exceed 50.

All night shifts of men were kept employed putting up an air-fan in the place of the two destroyed. Simultaneously crews of from 5 to 10 men were sent into the death trap by way of the main slope entrance and the air passage, to work their way, if possible, to where the bodies of the dead men lie.

This work was accompanied with the most imminent peril, owing to the black damp with which the mine was filled. Fully 20 of the rescuing party were carried into the outer air, overcome by the gases. The work being thus impeded, progress was slow and the result discouragingly small. As the work goes on, it becomes certain that the mine has not caught fire.

**A Total of $38,000,000.**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Secretary Carlisle has made this announcement: "Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co. and associates, under their bid for $100,000,000, of United States 4 per cent bonds of 1925 made in accordance with the recent circulars of the secretary of the treasury, are entitled to receive bonds of the face value of about $4,700,000 in addition to those of which they have already been notified. Exact figures cannot be stated until returns from various sub-treasuries are fully verified." This will give Mr. Morgan about $38,000,000 of the bond issue.

**"A Matter of Conscience."**

MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—It is stated in well-informed circles here that a collective mandement is to be issued by the Roman Catholic bishops shortly, calling upon every Catholic member of the house of commons and the senate to support, as a matter of conscience, the Dominion government's bill remedying the grievances of the minority in Manitoba.

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## AGNES MORTON HELD

**For the Murder of Mrs. Weir in Lawrence.**

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 20.—Agnes Morton was arraigned in court yesterday, charged with an assault upon Kate Weir, which resulted in the latter's death. To the charge she said: "I don't remember killing her, but I do remember she bit my finger and I hit her in the face." Medical Examiner Howe performed an autopsy on the body of Kate Weir yesterday. They decided that death was the result of injuries she received in the quarrel with Agnes Morton.

**Abortionist Convicted.**

DETROIT, Feb. 20.—The jury in the case of Dr. D. J. Seaman, who was tried for having caused the death of Emily Hall of Hales Owen, Eng., by committing an abortion, yesterday rendered a verdict of guilty. This was the second trial of the case. Emily Hall was betrayed by Rev. Jonathan Bell of Blackheath, Dudley, Eng.

**Connecticut Veterans Meet.**

NORWICH, Conn., Feb. 20.—The 29th encampment of Connecticut's Grand Army opened yesterday. Reports show a membership of 6208, a loss during the year of 425. There are now 69 posts in the state. The loss by death during the past year was 121. The finances of the department are in sound condition.

**Bombs For Palace Occupants.**

MADRID, Feb. 20.—Several bombs were exploded in the gardens of the palace between 9 and 10 o'clock last night. No personal injuries resulted. The outrage is supposed to have been perpetrated by anarchists.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The tax on saloons in Ohio has been increased.

Republicans made their usual sweep in Philadelphia.

The 161 pictures in the King collection sold for $272,705.

Japan has decided that Russia is not so formidable as was feared.

The efforts of Canada to effect a compromise with Manitoba are futile.

Charles C. Davis was nominated for mayor by the Democrats of Auburn, Me.

The postoffice department is trying to cleanse the mails of objectionable literature.

President Cleveland will announce soon his attitude in the coming presidential campaign.

The new Korean minister, Soh Khwan Pom, yesterday presented his credentials to the president.

Pollock Rip lightship No. 4, having completed repairs, has resumed her station in Vineyard Sound.

The Southern Pacific railroad has incurred the hostility of the Trancontinental Passenger association.

Rev. John Watson of Liverpool has been chosen to deliver the Lyman-Beecher course of lectures at Yale university.

George Bowman, a carpenter on the new Tilden-Thurber building, Providence, fell 30 feet, and will probably die from his injuries.

Mrs. Ellen Dolly of South Windham, Me., will not be sentenced for life for the murder of her daughter's illegitimate child until May.

At Bangor, Me., James Barbour, indicted for compound larceny, was given a sentence of 3½ years in the state prison at Thomaston.

Indianapolis has been chosen as the place for holding the convention of the National School Superintendents' association next year.

Miss Emily S. Duchemin was probably fatally burned at Newburyport, Mass., by the explosion of naphtha which she was using in cleaning her dress.

B. A. Kimball, president of the Concord and Montreal railroad, sustained severe injury to his hip by falling upon an icy sidewalk at Concord, N. H.

Fire in the dye and chemical storehouse of the Silver Spring bleachery at Providence caused a heavy loss by ruining a large amount of expensive drugs.

Ambrose Plamondon, aged 62, president of the Plamondon Manufacturing company, and a widely known and successful business man of Chicago, died of pneumonia.

## DYNAMITE IN TRANSVAAL.

**Many People Killed and Injured and Houses Wrecked.**

JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 20.—An explosion of dynamite occurred at Viedendorp, and the poor quarter of the town was blown to pieces. Hundreds of houses are in ruins, and the havoc wrought is fearful. A number of persons were killed, and the populace turned out en masse and are working to rescue those who may be buried in the ruins. The windows of every house in Johannesburg were broken by the force of the explosion. The dynamite which caused the catastrophe filled eight trucks, which were being shunted. The explosion caused an immense hole, 30 feet deep, to be formed. Forty dead, nearly all terribly mutilated, have already been taken from the ruins, but the work of searching the debris has scarcely begun. Two hundred of the most severely injured were admitted to the hospital, where several died. It is believed that only a few white persons were killed.

**Fishermen's Death Roll.**

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 20.—The annual memorial service of the Gloucester Relief association, in honor of 128 fishermen lost at sea from this port during 1895, was held in city hall last night. Mayor Robinson presided, and a fitting eulogy was delivered by Rev. N. T. Whittaker of Lynn.

**Warner Won Them All.**

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—The New England outdoor skating championships were decided yesterday afternoon at Wood Island park before 3000 people. Rob Warner of Cambridge took the three events easily. His time was: Mile, 3m. 44 1-5s.; 3 miles, 12m. 8 4-5s.; 5 miles, 19m. 10 1-5s.

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## TWO SCORE DEAD

### Result of a Theatre Fire in Lisbon.

### TERRIBLE PANIC FOLLOWED THE ALARM.

### Men, Women and Children Jumped.

LISBON, Feb. 20.—At a masked ball given by the Artists' club at San Taren, fire broke out shortly before midnight and spread with great rapidity. A terrible panic followed the first alarm, and all present rushed for the exits, which were soon jammed with terrified people. Despairing of escape by any other means, men, women and children then jumped from the windows, seriously injuring themselves. Friends of the revelers rushed into the burning building later to aid in the work of rescue, and many of them were caught by the flames before they could make their way out again. Thus far 40 bodies have been recovered.

**Must Aid Spain.**

HABANA, Feb. 20.—The governor of Matanzas has issued a circular stating that the captain general has decided that the planters in that province must start grinding cane at once, and that they should organize, at their own expense, an armed body of men for the protection of their property, which force, it is added, will be assisted by the government guerrillas and the regular army. The circular makes it understood that it is the duty of the planters to help the government in this manner. The latter will pay the guerrillas for their service, and furnish the necessary arms and ammunition for the plantation guards.

**More About Nansen.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 20.—At a meeting of the Imperial Geographical society yesterday, Senator Semenoff said that it would be premature yet to deny the news of Dr. Nansen's discovery of the North Pole. It was probable, he said, that Dr. Nansen was returning, or had returned, to the New Siberian islands, where Baron Toll had placed stores of provisions in anticipation of his return. The first news of Dr. Nansen was received by Peter Kuschnereff, who was searching for the ivory of the extinct mammoth on the New Siberian island, where this ivory has been found in large quantities. Kuschnereff's men possibly met a member of the Nansen expedition, or even Nansen himself.

**May Be Privately Settled.**

DOVER, N. H., Feb. 20.—A petition of Receiver Whittemore of the defunct Dover National bank and the Guarantee Company of North America, of Montreal, for a postponement of the case against the Guarantee company, brought by Receiver Whittemore to recover $20,000, the amount of the bonds of the late defaulting Cashier Abbott, was granted by Judge Chase yesterday, and the case will come up for trial in September. The petition is the result of a proposition made by the defendant looking toward a settlement of the case outside of the courts.

**Strange Experience of Mrs. Crabtree.**

AMESBURY, Mass., Feb. 20.—Mrs. Elizabeth Crabtree, living on the Hampton road, had a severe attack of diphtheria in January. Lately she has complained of severe pains around the heart, and one week ago Monday, while seated in her chair, her head dropped forward on her breast, and she appeared like one dead. Dr. Colcord applied restoratives, which, however, had no effect. On Tuesday her eyes opened and she then partook of some nourishment. Although in a weakened condition, her ultimate recovery is assured.

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## NELLIE MCDONOUGH DEAD

### UNDER SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES IN BOSTON.

**An Investigation to Follow—Signs of Foul Play on the Body.**

NEWINGTON, N. H., Feb. 20.—This town is somewhat aroused by the suspicious death in Boston of Nellie McDonough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McDonough of this town. The parents first learned of their daughter's death by letter from a Boston undertaker, asking if he should forward the girl's body. John McDonough, a brother of the girl, went to Boston and returned with the body. Dr. W. O. Junkins made an autopsy, and he notified the coroner of suspicious circumstances, and an investigation will follow.

**Walker Outlines His Bill.**

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—Congressman Walker's banking bill was explained by its author at the chamber of commerce last evening. He claimed that it meant cheaper money and greater freedom in banking. Under it, he said, banks would issue and be responsible for the redemption of every dollar of paper money. It would result in profit to banks and a saving to the people.

**Losing No Time.**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 20.—Miss Clara Barton, after having been presented to the Turkish ministers interested, began making the preparations necessary to start for Anatolia in order to supervise the work of distributing relief to the distressed Armenians. She has established her headquarters in the Pera quarter, and is making rapid progress with the work of organization.

**Awaiting Faure's Signature.**

PARIS, Feb. 20.—The pardon of John L. Waller, convicted by a court-martial in the island of Madagascar of illegally communicating with the Hovas and sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment, has been sent to President Faure for the latter's signature. The present action is due to the representations made by the United States government in the prisoner's behalf.

**Sultan Has His Way.**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 20.—All the powers, it is announced, have recognized Prince Ferdinand as ruler over Bulgaria, in accordance with the request of the sultan.

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# SECOND EDITION

## MITTEN'S TRIAL

### Closed in the Boston Armory Last Night.

ARGUMENT BY COUNSEL BENT AND BANGS.

The Courtmartial Will Report to the Governor.

The Mitten court martial was again convened at the South armory, Boston, last night with Lieut. Col. Hovey as president, and the full board were present.

Capt. Mitten was not present, being confined to his home with a severe cold, but was represented by his counsel, Mr. Bent of Lowell.

Assistant Judge Advocate Bangs conducted the prosecution, and there were several tilts during the evening between him and Lawyer Bent.

Armorer Thomas G. Farnsworth of the Lowell armory was the first witness. He stated that he was never in McNulty's drug store on any Sunday morning. He acknowledged writing the affidavit of Decorator Young in McNulty's store. When asked how it was that he came to write the affidavit for Young to sign and what interest he had in the matter, he stated that he had stood all he could from Capt. Mitten and wanted to get him out of the service.

In answer to a question by Capt. Mitten's counsel, witness said before he secured the affidavit from Young he took advice of counsel, who instructed him to get the document. He acknowledged that he was trying to get Capt. Mitten out of the company.

Lieut. Philip McNulty was again called and denied having sold Bass beer in his store. He told a straightforward story that could not be shaken.

George G. McCoy, late member of the company said that he was asked by Capt. Mitten to come down to Boston and testify in his favor, and said if he would do so he would make it all right, and he would see that his "dishonorable" discharge was changed to an "honorable" one.

Robert W. Park also testified that he was importuned by Capt. Mitten to come to Boston and testify for him, and was made the same promise as McCoy. He said that he would come down. He did as promised, but at that time he was not called, and he acknowledged that he now came to see justice done.

This concluded the evidence, and Mr. Bent addressed the court in behalf of Capt. Mitten. He made a very strong plea for the accused, speaking for over an hour. In his argument he did not spare any of the witnesses for the prosecution, and claimed that the whole of these charges were the result of a conspiracy, in which Lieut. McNulty and Armorer Farnsworth were the principals.

Judge Advocate Bangs followed, and shortly before 10 o'clock the court took the case under advisement, and will report their findings to the governor.

### THE ELIGIBLE LIST.

Men Selected as Candidates for the Police Force.

Forty-three who tried the recent civil service examination for police officers were successful. Their names are as follows: John H. Condon, John L. Huse, Michael R. Histen, Ezra A. Nichols, Patrick J. Frawley, Charles D. Martin, Samuel J. Bigelow, Arthur W. Lang, Edgar L. Bills, Francis P. O'Neill, William McCloughry, James F. Delrange, Frank R. Ealy, James Reynolds, D. Wesley Neely, Frank K. Marshall, James F. Healon, Charles Smith, John G. Coburn, Maurice J. Sheehan, William B. Goodrich, Charles H. Merrill, Cornelius T. O. O'Keefe, Patrick J. Byrne, George H. Young, James Farrell, Michael J. Markham, Charles Wilson, Henry G. Coburn, Joseph Lamoureaux, John B. Conway, John Kane, John Freeman, Clarence L. Boothby, William H. Killoy, Charles A. Hamilton, George W. Robinson, William B. Wilcox, Albert M. Eames, Walter E. Thompson, Francis F. Dingwill, William H. Wilson and Owen J. Tansey.

Highland Club Billiards.

The tournament game at the Highland club last night resulted as follows:

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Team Six—Dickerman 83, Wilcox 73, Jewett 48, Kilgore 60; total 281.

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## LIGHT SENTENCE

### Imposed Upon Young Hodge for Larceny.

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His Case An Encouragement to Youthful Depravity.

At the Superior court in Cambridge yesterday Eugene S. Hodge who was arrested for wholesale larceny from the Merrimack Print works where he was employed as freight clerk got off light being sentenced to the Massachusetts reformatory while eight counts were placed on file.

Andrew Douglas who was convicted of breaking in a man's skull with a flatiron holder got only 60 days in the house of correction.

Charles Richardson who escaped from the workhouse was sent back there to serve out his term and the case against him was placed on file.

John Rogers, a common drunkard got six months at the state farm.

George M. Roddy, charged with adultery was placed on probation.

## JOHN MARREN'S FUNERAL

### LARGE CORTEGE FOLLOWED REMAINS TO CEMETERY.

Touching Display of Floral Tributes From Relatives and Friends.

The remains of the late John Marren were laid at rest this morning.

Long before the hour announced for the funeral friends began to gather at the family residence on Butterfield street and viewed for the last time the remains of one who in life was a true friend, a loving husband and a kind father.

At 8.30 the long funeral cortege formed and the hearse with the forty carriages containing relatives and friends, moved towards St. Patrick's church, where services were held.

Rev. Fr. Gleason celebrated the high mass of requiem, and the choir, directed by E. F. Faulkner, rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. At the offertory Miss Finn sang the Pie Jesu. The solos in the Libra were sustained by Prof. Haggerty, and the hymn "Passing Out of the Shadow," was rendered with fine effect by Miss Finn. But the most pathetic selection was the solo, "I love to hear my Savior's voice," by James E. Donnelly.

David A. McHugh sang the solos of the De Profundis. At the conclusion of the service the cortege moved to the Catholic cemetery and the remains were interred in the family lot. Some beautiful floral offerings were placed over the grave.

The family offering was a large pillow of ivy with the word "Father" in blue immortelles.

Dr. and Mrs. Harrington sent an ivy wreath and wheat; and the offering of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Deehan was palm leaves with Roman hyacinths and tied with Roman hyacinths.

The family of James Marren sent a large ivy wreath, and a card attached to some palm leaves and Roman hyacinths tied with lavender ribbon bore the names of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Saunders.

An ivy cross and pinks came from Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius E. Collins, and an ivy shield and wheat from Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coffey. Patrick Dempsey sent a spray of pinks, and there were also a wreath and a spray of pinks from friends.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Edward Gallagher, Edward Kelly, Charles W. Deehan, John Lane, James Finnegan.

## THE GOVERNOR'S CONDITION

### HAD A BAD NIGHT BUT FELT SLIGHTLY BETTER

This Morning—Ventured Out For a Short Drive—May Not Go to the State House for Weeks.

Governor Greenhalge's hosts of friends will be pleased to know that although his condition was rather miserable last night he felt a little better this morning and ventured out for a short drive. It will be some days, perhaps weeks before he will be able to resume his duties at the state house.

Lieutenant Governor Wolcott will act as governor during Gov. Greenhalge's indisposition.

### THOSE BURGLARS.

They Operated Largely in Neighboring Cities.

Louis Jaquith and Ernest Beausoleil, who were arrested yesterday by Officers R. Welch and Leighton, are wanted in Nashua for burglaries committed there.

The goods taken from Chamberlain & Patten's store were the most valuable, two cloaks valued at $150. They were returned to the owners by Inspector Flood of Nashua yesterday. At Clark's hardware store the next big haul was made, nearly $50 worth of guns, revolvers, razors and knives being taken. These were also returned. The other goods secured at Barr's hardware store and at Flander's market were also returned.

Miss Perrin's Party.

Exactly one hundred couples were present at the assembly given in Associate hall last evening, by Miss L. Blanche Perrin, to her pupils. The American orchestra played, and the grand march was led by Misses Lucy Stevens and Lilla Harriman. The officers were: Floor manager, G. I. Perrin; aids, A. W. Stevens, F. E. Raymond, A. C. Grimwood, L. C. Day, A. N. Kirkpatrick, H. W. Perrin.

The Good Templars.

The Kallamagoozelum band of Eirene lodge held a concert in Odd Fellows' Temple, Middlesex street, last evening, with Leroy T. Riley as director.

Banner lodge, Good Templars was visited by a lodge from Ballardvale last evening.

## EPIDEMIC RAGES

### In the City of Haverhill With Fatal Results

AND YET JUDGE CARTER HOLDS QUARANTINE ILLEGAL.

Queer State of Affairs Menacing the Whole People.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Feb. 20.—An epidemic of diphtheria in the section of the city occupied by the poorer classes will probably necessitate the closing of several schools. Owing to the city's non-compliance with the law for the establishment of a contagious hospital, it is impossible to establish quarantine regulations.

The residents in the eastern section of the city are alarmed over the prevalence of diphtheria. Five deaths have already occurred in the week, and in eight homes there are from one to six cases apiece.

Whole families have been afflicted in the week, so rapid has been the spread of the disease, and the local health officials are at a loss what precautions to take to prevent its further spread. Until last year the board has always quarantined houses in which such diseases appeared, but a case arose, in which Judge Carter decided that they had no right to make laws governing contagious diseases.

Ex-City Solicitor Peters confirmed this decision, even though a previous official said they had the right to quarantine such cases. Since the present outbreak health officials have asked the city solicitor for his opinion, and an opinion will be rendered tomorrow. The board will then take definite action.

In the meantime the whole city has become alarmed at the rapid spreading of the disease, and immediate and vigorous action is being urged. In the past four years the city council has been annually urged to erect a contagious disease hospital, but no action was ever taken.

### BOWLING NEWS.

The Vespers went to Boston last evening and defeated the Casinos. Bean, Grover and Whittier put up good scores and every man on the Casinos put up a total of over 509. The highest roller was Bean with 587. The score:

Vespers—Corwin 487, Grover 575, Dahlberg 455, J. Whittier 583, Bean 587; total 2687.

Casino—Cruft 519, Davis 502, Simpson 529, Liffler 550, Smith 540; totals 2640.

The Highland Tournament.

Team Seven defeated Team Nine last evening by the following totals:

Team Seven—Saunders 453, Sturtevant 429, Livingston 535, Goward 460, Wing 527; total 2399.

Team Nine—Lewis 552, Lovejoy 380, Kittredge 420, Peabody 372, Starkey 355; total 1979.

The Firemen Again.

The Butchers had their "carvers" out last night, but they "cut no beef" with the fire men on the Palmer street alleys. The score:

Firemen—Merrill 495, Halstead 473, Boynton 444, Welch 507, Dearth 568; total 2488.

Jewett & Swift—Sheehy 451, Sherwood 460, Broadbent 510, Chicken 477, Clark 440; total 2338.

Calumets Defeated.

The Calumets No. 2 team was beaten last night by the Warwoods by the following score:

Warwoods—Guimond 411, Blazon 497, Lavery 433, Page 507, Guimond 443; total 2281.

Calumets No. 2.—Mower 445, Dugan 393, Hart 484, Walker 421, Tuttle 485; total 2228.

High School Bowling.

In the individual High school tournament yesterday afternoon, the following scores were made: Burtt, 118, 142—260; Carter, 112, 122—234.

### THEATRICAL NEWS.

New Music Hall.

"Outcast of a Great City."

This is the title of a sensational melodrama to be presented at Music hall tonight and the remainder of the week.

Daniel A. Kelly is the leading character and is supported by Helen A. Desmond and a capable company. The play stood the test of three weeks production in New York.

Ben Hur.

The scenic production of this famous story is nightly drawing large houses at the Opera house. The fact that the performance is for the benefit of the General hospital, attracts the friends of that institution, but the show is worth what it costs. The talent is nearly all local, the scenic effects unsurpassed.

Special to Children.

The management of the Savoy theatre will give a special matinee for the benefit of the school children on Saturday afternoon. On this occasion every child will be admitted for ten cents, and receive a pretty souvenir from Prof. King, the paper King.

The Savoy Theatre.

The performances at the beautiful Savoy Theatre continued to draw large houses and already its future success appears to be an assured thing. Those who have not yet witnessed the performance should do so ere the week closes.

### Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

To be Erected by Men Interested in the Work.

Men prominent in Y. M. C. A. affairs met at the residence of W. H. White, 250 Nesmith street, last evening, and talked over the plan of endorsing the central committee, so that it can perform its work without being troubled by financial work. The proposition is to raise $150,000 and erect a building that will not only furnish offices for the committee, but provide in rentals a permanent income.

O. H. Durrell, of Boston, presided at the conference, and among those present were A. M. Armstrong of Boston, E. W. Watkins of New York, and ex-Mayor Frederick Foster of Fitchburg.

Coal Hods. Coal Hods.

A new lot of coal hods received, and this lot we will give away with a pound of our choice tea or baking powder. This is a rare bargain and they do not last long. Do not delay. Dickson Bros., 88 Merrimack street.

## FASTER SERVICE

### On Electrics Promised By Manager Sullivan.

MORE CARS AND MORE FREQUENT TRIPS.

Elaborate Arrangements to Meet the Summer Demand.

Manager Sullivan and the directors of the Lowell & Suburban road intend to give patrons of the road a service next summer that will greatly please and convenience them.

After considerable study and planning Manager Sullivan has arranged a schedule that suits the directors and is sure to find favor with the public.

At the last meeting of the directors, it was voted to increase the present number of cars, now used by the company by 26 per cent in order to make it possible to provide a faster service.

For nine or ten hours during the day a ten minute service will be provided on the Broadway and Centralville, Nesmith street and Pawtucketville, Pawtucket and High streets routes; and a seven minute service to the Edson cemetery, so that the Lynn route will not interfere with the local service.

Then there will be an independent line to Parker avenue, so that the Lakeview route will not interfere with local service.

The depot line will continue up Middlesex street to Wilder street, to ease up up the business on the Middlesex street and Chelmsford routes, add there will be increased service on the Westford street route.

The new cars will all be double truck cars, such as are now used on the Nashua line.

The new arrangements will go into effect May 1, when the summer schedule goes into operation.

## A GREEN-HOUSE BURNED

### AT FARM OF CHARLES L. MARSHALL ON STEVENS ST.

An Over-Heated Stove Caused the Fire—It Was Extinguished by the Department.

Shortly after midnight last night a telephone alarm gave notice of a fire in the greenhouse of Charles L. Marshall on Stevens street near the city farm. Ten minutes later an alarm came in from box 284. The fire was in the greenhouse office and an adjoining shed which were destroyed. The loss is estimated at $1000 insured. The fire caught from an overheated stovepipe.

At quarter to five this morning the department was called there again by another small blaze in the same place.

Other Alarms.

A telephone alarm at 9.35 o'clock this morning was for a chimney fire in John Boyle's house on Fayette street.

The alarm from box 42 at 10.25 this morning was needless. A Mrs. Kelly residing at the corner of Middlesex street and Middlesex place, left some meat boiling on the stove and went out. The water boiled over and the meat caught fire making considerable smoke and causing the alarm.

### DEATHS.

CHARLES—Patrick Charles died this morning at his home, 103 Lawrence street. He is survived by three daughters.

ATWOOD—Ira Atwood died in East Chelmsford Feb. 19, aged 66 years. He had been a resident there for the last eight years and was universally esteemed and respected. Mrs. Abram Sherman, a daughter, survives him.

McCALL—Alice McCall, child of Joseph and Hannah McCall, died yesterday at their home, 3 Lincoln place, off Central street. The funeral took place this afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

### POLICE COURT.

Hadley, J.

There were four drunks and one was released.

Joseph Mann, a cripple, fell asleep on the Dracut road last night while under the influence of liquor. The motorman and conductor on the last car in picked him up and carried him on board until they met Officer F. Fox, who arrested him. He promised not to come to Lowell for a month and was put on probation.

George Hadden pleaded guilty of drunkenness and Officer Conners testified that Hadden went home shortly after his wife had given birth to a still born child and pulling her out of bed gave her a beating. Hadden denied having beaten his wife. As drunkenness was the only charge against him he was fined $10.


Help

Is needed by poor, tired mothers, overworked and burdened with care, debilitated and run down because of poor, thin and impoverished blood. Help is needed by the nervous sufferer, the men and women tortured with rheumatism, neuralgia, dyspepsia, scrofula, catarrh. Help

Comes Quickly

When Hood's Sarsaparilla begins to enrich, purify and vitalize the blood, and sends it in a healing, nourishing, invigorating stream to the nerves, muscles and organs of the body. Hood's Sarsaparilla builds up the weak and broken down system, and cures all blood diseases, because

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.


## LATEST

## THE GREAT FIGHT

### Indications That it Will Come Off.

MAHER'S EYES ARE NOW MUCH IMPROVED.

Fitzsimmons Stock is Still in the Lead.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

EL PASO, Feb. 20.—Peter Maher arrived here today all ready to proceed to the battleground.

He says his eyes are much improved and he is confident of whipping Fitzsimmons in five rounds.

When asked regarding the letter of Fitz to the American people the Irishman smilingly said that he took no notice of it, but would show in the ring how much of a quitter he was.

Dan Stuart guarantees that the fight will proceed uninterrupted, and the sports in the neighboring cities and towns are in readiness for any tip.

Fitz is the favorite in the betting.

### REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

New County Building at East Cambridge To Be Erected.

The new registry of deeds building is to be located on a lot of land in East Cambridge, bounded by Cambridge, Second, Otis and Third streets. The building is cruciform in shape, the main building running from Second to Third streets, is 65x196 feet. The projection on Cambridge st. is 39x65 ft. That on Otis is 50 x65 ft.

The main entrance to the building will be on Cambridge and Otis streets by a broad flight of granite steps, through pillared porches. The first story main building will be devoted to the public office of the registry of deeds, storage of books and receiving room. The second story of this portion to copyists and compares. The central portion will extend from first floor to roof, lighted by a large skylight. The three stories above first story in projection on Otis and Cambridge street will be devoted to the same use and the first story of these portions to private offices. The basement on Second street will be assigned to copyists and compares; the basement on Third street to heating and lighting apparatus.

The style of the building will be a severe Doric. The building is intended to be absolutely fire proof.

### MARRIED TEN YEARS.

Rev. Mr. Curnick Observes a Happy Occasion.

Rev. E. T. Curnick of the Worthen Street Methodist church and his estimable wife observed the 10th anniversary of their marriage last evening by holding a reception which was attended by over 300 of their friends.

The reception lasted from 7.30 to 10, and was held in the parlor of the parsonage at 46 Kirk street.

The rector and his wife were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haworth, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Varney, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wier.

When it was apparent that the greater part of the callers were on hand Mr. and Mrs. Curnick were called to the center of the parlor and Rev. F. K. Stratton on behalf of the members of the Worthen Street M. E., presented the former with a valuable gold watch and Mrs. Curnick with a beautiful banquet lamp.

Rev. Mr. Curnick expressed his thanks for the gifts and then an entertainment was enjoyed.

Refreshments were served continuously and the following-named ladies and gentlemen of the church assumed charge of the dispensation of the delicacies; Mrs. C. L. Bruce, G. L. Foster, Samuel Worth, Miss Jessop, Carrie Fowler, Jessie Todd, Fred Foster, Fred Costello and Eva and Maud Rollins.

The ushers were Kenneth Bruce, Donald McLean, O. L. W. Brown, George L. Fowler, Sr., Charles Dorr, Louden Haraeen, Everett Allshaw, Herbert Warren, Frank Williams and A. L. Bradley.

The pastors present were Rev. F. K. Stratton of the St. Paul's M. E. church; Rev. Bowley Green, Worthen street Baptist church; Rev. Dr. Mudge, Highland M. E. church, and Rev. C. M. Hall of the Central M. E. church.

### STOPPING A SHIP.

The Time and Distance It Takes to Arrest a Vessel's Motion.

The motion of a steamship on the Atlantic, when the sea is calm, is so smooth and steady that the passenger hardly realizes the tremendous momentum of the vessel under his feet. After the engines have been slowed down there is a startling revelation of the energy of motion. This energy can also be accurately calculated with the aid of mathematical formulas, and the time and distance within which the motion can be totally arrested and the ship be brought to a stand may be ascertained in a similar manner. This calculation has recently been made for several well known ships.

To stop the Etruria, whose "displacement" is 9,680 tons, horsepower 14,321 and speed 20.18 knots an hour, 3 minutes and 47 seconds are required, and during the progress of stopping, the ship will forge ahead 2,464 feet, which is only 176 feet less than half a mile. The United States cruiser Columbia, with a displacement of 7,350 tons, 17,991 horsepower and a speed of 22.8 knots, can be stopped in 2 minutes and 15 seconds, and within a space of 2,147 feet. The little flier Cushing, also of the United States navy, whose displacement is only 105 tons, and horsepower 1,754, while its speed is 22.48 knots, can be stopped within a distance of 301 feet in 18.4 seconds. In each case the vessel is supposed to be going at full speed, and the stoppage is produced by reversing the action of the propelling machinery.—Youth's Companion.

## CARING FOR THE TRAMPS

### A NEW METHOD INSPECTED AT SPRINGFIELD.

The Overseers of This City Are Favorably Impressed With the Plan—It May Be Adopted.

The "Wayfarers Inn," at Springfield which the overseers of the poor inspected yesterday presents a system of caring for tramps which meets with much favor from the local board.

When a tramp applies for lodging he registers, is given a bath and a night dress and his own clothes are steamed.

In the morning he is given a bowl of soup some crackers and coffee, after which he is obliged to saw and split some wood.

In Springfield when a man becomes what might be termed an habitual applicant for aid he is obliged if he is able, to perform a required amount of work every time he is assisted.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. James Ewart of New York is the guest of Mrs. Julian Talbot.

Miss Berning Raulett of Wilder street and Miss Ethel Livingston of Livingston ave., are visiting in South Dartmouth, Mass.

August Fels entertained a party of friends at his home on Lakeview avenue last evening.

### LOCAL NOTES.

Charles H. McEvoy has been granted a patent on an electrical connecting cord.

The committee of the Fifth Street Baptist church, held an entertainment and supper last evening.

A delegation from Highland union lodge of Rebekahs visited the Billerica lodge Tuesday evening.

John R. Shea read a paper to the pupils of the two highest classes at St. Patrick's parochial school yesterday afternoon.

The members of the Unitarian church of Chelmsford enjoyed a fine supper and entertainment last evening.

The social and entertainment last evening at the Central Congregational church in Chelmsford was attended by a fair sized audience.

Les Miserables association will erect a polo rink in the rear of the present bowling alleys and will enter a team in the New England league next season.

A musicale under the direction of Miss Emma P. Kimball was given in the vestry of the Eliot church last evening.

Rev. C. E. Fisher of this city took part in the regular monthly meeting of the Merrimack valley conference of Universalist churches, held in Nashua yesterday.

Alfred Bibeault, as the most popular member of l'Association Catholique, has been presented an excellent portrait of the late Rev. Fr. Garin, O.M.I.

Orphile Plumondon, the Frenchman, who is too tired to do anything but sleep, has been examined by physicians and will be sent to the Worcester asylum for a long rest.

At a meeting of the Calumet club, after the game bowled in the city tournament February 19, the Calumett team No. 2 were expelled from the club, but were at once signed by the Dugan club, and will hereafter meet all competitors under the name of Dugan No. 1.

### POST 42, G. A. R.

Extends Thanks to Mayor Courtney for Courtesies.

Post 42, at its regular meeting, last evening, passed resolutions of thanks to Mayor Courtney for courtesies extended in the reception of their guests and for his tribute to the sons of Lowell in the war.

Ladd and Whitney post entertained visiting members last evening.

Reception to Rev. and Mrs. Keevil.

Rev. C. J. Keevil and Mrs. Keevil were welcomed home from their wedding trip last evening.

A reception was tendered in their honor at the Moore Street Primitive Methodist church, which the members of the church attended.

Rev. and Mrs. Keevil received many beautiful gifts. They will be at home at 24 Columbus avenue after March 1.

Refused Pardon.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The president today refused to pardon Louis Redwine who was sentenced to six years in prison in Georgia, for embezzlement of national bank funds.


FEBRUARY SALE. SPECIAL.

COMMON SENSE PLAN.

That is the plan upon which the

"ORIGINAL"

Dongola Boots

Were built. Broad toes, low heels, comfort and durability were combined, and the price was $4.75. For durability, the Boot has no equal.

Our February Sale

Will give the many Ladies who know the value of these Boots their selection in double or single sole at

$3.75.

Evening Slippers, Dress Boots, Toilet Slippers, Rubbers. Everything in Footwear included in this sale.

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OPP. CITY HALL.


## THE SUN EXTRA

## 5 O'CLOCK

## HUNDREDS KILLED

### Johannesburg Dynamite Explosion Never Equalled.

THOUSANDS HOMELESS AND MANY INJURED.

Boers and Utlanders Aid the Sufferers.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 20.—From latest details received it appears that the dynamite explosion at Viedendorp was one of the most disastrous ever known in the world.

Over 100 people were instantly killed, 200 were seriously injured and over 1000 poor people were made homeless.

The particulars that come in give the story as follows:

At Viedendorp is a freight station where freight is carried for neighboring mines. At this station were eight trucks filled with dynamite to be used in the mines which were sidetracked for the night.

The explosion occurred just as hundreds of miners were returning to their homes from their work.

It was marked by a terrific explosion which razed all buildings to the ground within a radius of half a mile while those within a mile of the scene were badly shaken, all windows being broken. Buildings and trucks near by were blown 100 feet in the air.

As soon as the people realized what had happened all rushed to the rescue and in fifteen minutes 40 dead bodies were taken from the ruins.

Later on over 100 dead bodies were found and over 200 seriously injured, many of them having died since.

The force of the explosion tore a hole in the ground 100 feet by 80 feet around the trucks where the dynamite trucks were standing.

Perhaps the best idea of the shock can be gained by the fact that the iron axles on the trunks containing the dynamite were driven 20 feet into the ground.

It is not known just how the explosion occurred, but it is supposed that a thieving Kaffer caused the calamity by attempting to break open one of the boxes of dynamite not knowing its contents.

The extent of the damage will never be fully known, but it is a fact that over 1000 people are homeless and all the hospitals are filled.

Shortly after the explosion a relief fund was started and $300,000 was raised in a short time. It is expected that $500,000 will be contributed within the next 24 hours.

The Boers and Uitlanders worked harmoniously together rendering aid to the injured, and it is believed that the catastrophe has done much towards healing the soreness that has existed between them since the Jameson raid.

President Kruger has telegraphed his sympathy to the people of the town.

### WALLER'S RELEASE SIGNED

By the President of the French Republic.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Sec'y Olney today received a cablegram from Minister Eustis in France, stating that President Faure had signed the pardon of ex-Consul John L. Waller and has ordered his immediate release.

### OVER 2000 PEOPLE

Idle on Account of Clothing Cutters' Strike.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—The clothing cutters are on strike, putting 2000 people out of employment.

Children's Home Burned.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DELAWARE, O., Feb. 20—The county home for children destroyed by fire last night. Loss $25,000, insurance $10,000. The 48 inmates wer rescued.

Ex-Governor Robinson's Condition.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

CHICOPEE, Feb. 20.—At 11.45 today ex-Governor Robinson's condition was reported unchanged.

Principal Barry's Ear Frozen.

Principal Barry of the Pawtucketville school has moved into his beautiful new mansion on Middlesex street, corner of Livingstone avenue. In walking from his home to his school in the cold spell he had one ear frozen and has had it in a sling ever since.

Sacred Heart Bazaar.

A long list of awards has been made by the Sacred Heart carnival to those who invested on the various tables. Nearly everybody won something.

To Find a Home.

The inquiry of "A Sun Reader" as to what is the best method of securing a home is answered on the editorial column.

Valuable Bloodhound Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Mary Bradshaw, a $1000 bloodhound belonging to Dr. Lugest of Boston, died at the dog show in this city today.


Our store will be closed Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday Evenings until March.

We take it that your coat and vest are still in pretty good form—trousers perhaps a little baggy.

A new pair will freshen up the suit, help you through till spring gets along.

Here's where you'll find our trousers stock useful: Neat patterns, fashionably cut, excellent materials—$3.50 to $6.00 a pair.

PUTNAM & SON,

166 Central Street.


New Democratic Daily.

It is rumored that H. H. Metcalf of Concord is coming to Nashua to take editorial charge of a democratic daily, Mr. Metcalf is a vigorous writer and has enough democracy to the square inch to suit the most ardent of the "unterrified."—Nashua Telegraph.


It is True

that there is no other tea used so extensively in this city today as the Garden Flower tea sold by us. If you are not using it you don't use the best tea. Commercial Tea Co., opp. post office.


### SAVING DEPOSITS.

Money deposited in the Savings Department of the Traders' National Bank at 30 Middlesex street and 11 Post Office avenue on or before Tuesday, March 3rd, will draw interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from March 1st. Interest may be withdrawn or will be added to the principal on the first days of July and January. Bank open from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. and on Saturdays from 8 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. WILLIAM F. HILLS, Cashier.


$125 UPRIGHT PIANO, in good condition, made by Hallet & Davis, Boston; seven and one-third octaves. A bargain for some one. GEORGE A. GARDNER, 20 Prescott Street, Lowell, Mass.

EVERYTHING IN THE LIQUOR LINE

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WOOD TO BURN. Get in your stock of Wood for the Winter. We have all kinds. Hard wood, soft wood, mill kindling and slate. Edward Cogger & Co., 155 Church and 23 Concord streets.

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Don't fail to see the March number at

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Nos. 204 and 206 Merrimack Street.


LOWELL WATER WORKS.

## Prosposal for Coal

Bids will be received at the Lowell Water Works office until Wednesday, February 26, at 12 o'clock, M., for furnishing the Lowell Water Works 2000 tons coal (Georgia Creek or Pocahontas), under the following conditions:

Price will be per ton of 2240 pounds, delivered and stored as directed by the Superintendent, part at the Pumping Station West Sixth street, and part at the Driven Well Pumping Stations.

Coal as delivered at West Sixth street will be weighed on the Pumping Station Scales, and be paid for actual weight as shown by said scales. Coal delivered at the Driven Wells will be car weight and will be delivered at the Driven Well Pumping stations.

Time of delivery will be 1000 tons in April, 1000 tons in August.

The water board reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

All bids to be addressed to the Water Works office, and marked "Proposals for Coal."

GEORGE E. PUTNAM,
President Lowell Water Board.

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## TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON.

**Southern Division.**

| To Boston. Lve. | Arr. | From Boston. Lve. | Arr. |
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| 5 45 | 6 10 | 6 00 | §7 05 |
| 6 30 | 7 45 | 6 30 | 7 52 |
| 6 50 | 8 08 | 6 40 | §7 27 |
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| §7 18 | 8 02 | 8 30 | §9 11 |
| §7 27 | 8 12 | 9 00 | §9 42 |
| §7 38 | 8 50 | 9 15 | 10 20 |
| 7 45 | 8 30 | 10 00 | 11 15 |
| 8 50 | 9 40 | 10 45 | 11 58 |
| 9 00 | 10 20 | 11 30 | §12 08 |
| 9 40 | 10 40 | 12 00 | §12 56 |
| 11 00 | 12 06 | 1 00 | §1 45 |
| §11 45 | 12 30 | 2 00 | 3 04 |
| §12 16 | 1 05 | 3 00 | 3 40 |
| 1 40 | 2 50 | 3 30 | 4 48 |
| 3 00 | 4 25 | 4 15 | §4 50 |
| §4 00 | 4 45 | 5 00 | 5 44 |
| 4 30 | 5 20 | 5 25 | 6 22 |
| §5 20 | 6 15 | 5 50 | 7 05 |
| 5 33 | 6 53 | 6 15 | 7 25 |
| §6 24 | 7 10 | 7 30 | §8 10 |
| §7 52 | 8 35 | 8 00 | §8 40 |
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**Sunday Trains.**

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| §7 27 | 8 12 | 9 00 | 10 07 |
| 8 45 | 9 50 | 1 00 | 1 57 |
| §9 16 | 10 10 | 5 00 | 5 59 |
| §4 35 | 6 32 | 7 30 | 8 10 |
| §6 58 | 7 00 | 8 00 | 8 40 |
| | | 9 00 | 10 15 |

**Western Division.**

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| 8 15 | 9 13 | 9 25 | 10 37 |
| 9 25 | 10 42 | 10 25 | 11 49 |
| 10 50 | 12 05 | 11 50 | 1 03 |
| 12 05 | 1 38 | 2 15 | 3 19 |
| 12 45 | 2 01 | 3 30 | 4 29 |
| 2 20 | 3 45 | 3 40 | 4 59 |
| 3 20 | 4 14 | 4 25 | 5 43 |
| 4 05 | 5 24 | 5 01 | 6 18 |
| 5 10 | 6 44 | 6 01 | 7 06 |
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| 7 05 | 8 06 | 9 40 | 10 41 |
| 9 30 | 10 44 | | |

**Sunday Trains.**

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| 12 05 | 1 27 | 11 45 | 12 55 |
| 4 15 | 7 27 | 3 00 | 6 23 |
| 6 30 | 7 00 | 7 00 | 8 21 |
| 7 25 | 8 44 | | |

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

Senator Pugh has introduced a bill in congress providing that each state will have a separate postage stamp, the design to be chosen by the state and accepted by the postal department. It would then be an easy matter to tell at a glance where a letter came from by looking at the stamp. The states would each form a design for its own stamp.

### BARRED OUT.

The reporters of Boston are barred from police headquarters.

This means that the state board of police is not to be under the public eye at all times. Reporters will not be allowed to see what is going on at headquarters. It is time for the press of Boston to tell what they know of the police. It is not at headquarters the officers get boozy; it is not there they gamble. The reporters know just where and may astound the demi-gods of the Boston police commission one of these days.

### HOW TO PROCURE A HOME.

Gorham street, Feb. 18, 1896.

Editor SUN: Will you kindly say in your valuable paper what is the best method for a poor man with little money to purchase a home in Lowell or vicinity. By so doing you will greatly oblige,

A SUN READER.

This little communication, simple and brief though it be, introduces a subject of great importance to the working people who have a little money saved.

In order to answer the above inquiry satisfactorily, it would perhaps be necessary to know how much money our correspondent has to expend or in what part of the city he wants to locate.

But without more definite views of his capital and his preferences as to location we may say that the best plan is to invest his capital or a reasonable amount of it in a house lot and then get a contractor to build a house.

If you have $500 you can get a house lot in a reasonably good location, if you have $100 you can get one in Dracut or somewhere equally eligible along the line of electric cars.

Having secured the lot it will be quite easy to get a builder to put up the kind of house you want on a mortgage. Of course if you can define just what kind of a house you want and if you have the ability to prevent the builder from cheating you by giving you poor work or poor material for a good price so much the better.

If no builder cares to put up your building on a mortgage you can get the loan of money on real estate security.

It is in this way that three fourths of the dwellings throughout the city are erected and paid for.

Those who buy a house in this manner calculate on getting it at a price that will be equal to one hundred times the rent per month. For example if the house costs $2000 the rent should be $20 per month; if $3500 the rent should be $35 per month and so on.

Anybody who can buy a house on this basis will make a good investment. It is not often, however, that a good house can be obtained on such terms.

A great deal depends upon the location. Speculators are always on the alert to buy land and build houses where they foresee improvements coming.

It is in this way they gain so much by what is known as the unearned increment, that is, the increase in value of any piece of real estate on account of improvements in the environments.

It may be mentioned that some people buy houses on mortgage and pay only the interest thereon at the rate of 5 per cent.

In this way a family will be able to pay interest, taxes and water bills at less than they would have to pay in rent had they but rented the house purchased.

They can keep on paying the interest as long as they please, but if they miss a payment, the mortgage may be foreclosed.

The Boston Globe once asked General Butler's advice to a man with a little capital as to how he could make the best use of it.

The General replied that he knew of no better way of increasing the amount than to invest in a piece of improved real estate. The General knew from experience that this was the best course for a man with a small capital.

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### We Are Ungrateful to the Living, but Honor the Dead.

Have you ever thought of how very ungrateful we are toward the living, and how we hustle around to make amends for it after they are dead?

Among the prosperous farmers just over the border of an adjoining state was one noted for making things count. He had as good and faithful a wife as ever fell to the lot of a man, but he did not seem to have much time for her. She managed the household affairs splendidly, made the finest butter that went to the city market and never allowed her family to want for home comforts. If she got the toothache, he allowed her to doctor it, and if she complained of the pain he said she was growling and showed by his manners that he was annoyed.

But if a sheep got the sniffs, or if a cow showed signs of hollow horn, or a pig became slightly scroffy, he would tear around at a great rate, sit up all night or ride post haste to town and buy very expensive medicines or bring the veterinary. He couldn't bear to see an animal suffer; besides if it died it was a dead loss.

Through neglect to consult a dentist this man's wife became sorely afflicted, but she kept on her feet for his sake as long as she could, then took to her bed and died.

That man took it awfully hard, wore crape, went moping around for a year or more and put up a monument to her memory at a cost that would have covered the expense of providing her with needed help, medical attention or made life a comfort to her and a pleasure to him.

Cincinnati furnishes a typical case.

Professor Vaughn, one of the most learned of its scholars, notably versatile, respected and revered among scientists and philosophers, was allowed to go in rags and finally to die for want of food. With tattered overcoat, dilapidated hat, leaky shoes and empty pocket he was permitted to make his home on the streets in winter and pick up here and there a bit to eat, like a friendless dog.

As soon as his starved, emaciated, dead body had been discovered the whole town rushed to the rescue. The good people who knew him well and had often seen him in tatters were horrified to learn that he had died in want. The papers extolled his greatness in columns of editorial, the ministry recounted his virtues in glowing words, and leading citizens at once proposed a monument to perpetuate his memory, and of course to show their high appreciation of the man and of his accomplishments.

In the public library stands a bronze bust of the famous Professor Vaughn, but the inscription on the tablet does not tell that he suffered and finally died for the want of a tithe of the money invested in this memento.

Wonder are we waiting for some of our men of worth or our men of genius to die before we accord to them the honors long overdue? Have we those among us who, by a little—just a little—help could be and would be of great value to our city? Would it not be more humane, more philanthropic and more sensible to aid them while they live than to monument them when they die?—Pittsburg Commercial-Gazette.

### A Service of Worcester.

Toward the end of the century the first sign of the royal favor was vouchsafed to Worcester. George III visited the factories, and under the impetus given by his patronage the wares of the city advanced so much in popularity that in the early part of this century, it is said, there were few noble families which had not in their china closets an elaborate service of Worcester bearing the family arms and motto in appropriate emblazonment. In 1811, George IV being then prince regent, several splendid services of Worcester porcelain were ordered to equip his table for the new social duties entailed by his regency, and one of these alone cost £4,000. In the museums at the Worcester works there are specimens of many beautiful services designed in accordance with the contemporary ideas of pomp and stateliness.

The porcelain artists in those days must have been well versed in heraldry, for their chief duties seem to have been the reproduction of crests and coats of arms. Some of the services have interesting stories. There is one of deep royal blue, beautifully decorated and bearing in the center an emblematical figure of Hope. The story ran that it was ordered by Nelson for presentation to the Duke of Cumberland, and that the figure of Hope was really a portrait of Lady Hamilton. This, however, was an error. The service was ordered by the duke himself in the ordinary way, and though Lord Nelson did order a service of Worcester porcelain he died before it could be completed, and it was afterward dispersed.—Chambers' Journal.

### Beet Sugar Industry In France.

There was one sharp pinch. Coffee and sugar were no longer luxuries, but necessities, and through the continental embargo colonial wares had become and were likely to remain very dear and very scarce. Such substitutes as ingenuity could devise were gradually accepted for the former. To provide the latter the beet root industry was fostered by every means. The emperor kept a sample of sugar made from beets on his chimney piece as an ornament, and occasionally sent gifts of the precious commodity to his fellow sovereigns. The story is told that an official who had been banished from favor recovered his standing entirely by planting a whole estate with beets. Such traits were considered evidence of plain, homely common sense by the people, who enjoyed the sensation that their emperor participated in their feelings and daily shifts.—Professor Sloane in Century.

### Wind.

"These old Greeks seem to have had a god for almost everything. I wonder they did not have a god for prize fighting?"

"They did. His name was Eolus."—Indianapolis Journal.

### Not So Alarming as That.

She (calmly)—I think there is a burglar in the house. Listen!

He—Oh, that's a mouse you hear!

She (excitedly)—William, why do you seek to play upon my fears that way! You know it isn't a mouse!—Detroit Tribune.


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### An Evening Call In Which the Usual Conditions Are Reversed.

(Frank Russell ushers his friend, Tom Jarvis, into the library.) "So glad you came! Take this easy chair—here's a hassock for your feet—and tell me all the news."

"You're quite sure my dropping in this evening hasn't interfered with any of your plans?"

"Quite the contrary, my dear fellow. I'm delighted to see you, for I was feeling rather lonesome."

"Where are your wife and the children?"

"The children have gone to a little party at their Uncle John's, and my poor wife had to rush back to her office again as soon as she swallowed her dinner."

"So did my wife! After all, Frank, we housekeepers have a rather easy time of it. Of course we have our worries—servants and bills—but we always have our evenings free."

"Yes, and I for one am glad I am not an advanced man. I am willing to let the women attend to the business even if I can't have all the money I want."

"Dear boy, you don't manage your wife properly! Whenever Mrs. Jarvis is out very late at the club, I steal out of bed as soon as she is asleep and go through her pockets. She never knows just what became of that $5 or $10 she thought she had."

"Oh, Tom Jarvis, how can you"—

"Don't look so horrified, Frank. When I married Mrs. Jarvis, didn't she say, 'With all my worldly goods I thee endow?' I'm sure that makes her money mine just as much as hers."

"I shouldn't dare to do that."

"Oh, you haven't the spirit of a mouse!"

"Maybe not. Now, when I want anything very much—a pair of trousers, for instance—I contrive to get up a crying spell. Mrs. Russell can't bear tears, so she yields at once."

"That wouldn't work with my wife any more than it did with Mrs. Perry."

"Every woman isn't such a hard hearted brute as she is."

"I should hope not! I suppose you heard that Mr. Perry got his divorce?"

"No! Did he? Any alimony?"

"Yes; Mrs. Perry has to pay him $50 a month and clothe the children."

"So the judge gave him the children?"

"Oh, of course. Mrs. Perry was not a fit person to have them, and anyway the law leaves them with the father until they are 7 years old."

"I wonder if he will marry again?"

"He told my brother that if he was once divorced nothing would ever induce him to put himself in subjection to a woman again."

"Humph! I'll warrant he will say yes to the first good looking woman with a good bank account who ventures to propose to him."

"Well, a lone man with three little boys is a helpless creature, and you can't much blame him for wanting a home and some one to care for him."

"Try a piece of this cake, Tom. It is a new sort, made from a recipe my father sent me from California."

"How delicious! May I ask how it is made?" And for the next hour those two men swapped recipes.—New York Herald.

### Florida Youth Seized by a Great Bird, Then Falls Forty Feet.

The other afternoon Harry, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrison of Gainesville, Fla., was carried 70 feet in the air by a pet eagle and dropped to what seemed certain death.

The child wandered to where the eagle makes its home and watches over a young eagle. Mrs. Morrison heard Harry screaming, and rushing out found the child in the mother bird's talons. As Mrs. Morrison approached, the eagle rose, bearing the child in its talons. When the bird had ascended about 70 feet, it began to slowly descend in answer to the cries of the young bird. When about 40 feet from the ground, the eagle dropped the boy, and he fell, striking and lodging in a big cedar tree. Mrs. Morrison fainted, but her husband, who had come up quickly, rescued the boy. Harry was stunned by the fall, but no bones were broken, and he was soon conscious. The boy's face and body, however, were badly lacerated by the eagle's talons. Mr. Morrison captured the eagle four years ago, and it is of great size.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

### An Ohio Substitute For Hanging.

A bill providing a substitute for hanging has been introduced in the Ohio legislature. It is proposed to use the invention of a Columbus citizen, by which, it is claimed, death will be produced in shorter time and with less suffering than by the rope or the electric chair. By this device the prisoner's head is placed in a viselike helmet, a lever is turned, and the bones of the head are crushed. The scheme, strangely enough, is receiving considerable support.

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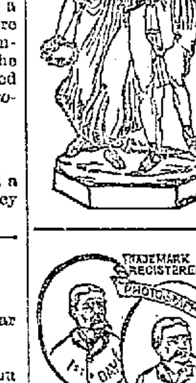

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### Colonel Cockerill Decorated.

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### Not Good at Guessing.

Some of the country's most eminent financiers proved to be very bad guessers as to the actual market value of bonds.—Washington Star.

### Ask Her—She's of Age.

A woman wants to be governor of Wyoming, or is it governess?—Chicago Tribune.

### An Unfriendly Inference.

The inference of a remark not infrequently arraigns the intention. Two friends were recently conversing about the disposition of the body after death, and after the subject had been considered in all its phases one said:

"Well, as far as I am individually concerned I would like to be cremated."

"I am in favor of that too," returned the other.—Boston Courier.

### An Example.

Teacher—Johnnie, I want you to use a sentence with the word disarrange.

Johnnie—I don't know none only what pop said dis mornin when he was lightin de fire.

"What did he say?"

"He said, 'Dam dis 'ere range.'"—Philadelphia Record.

### Rang the Bell on Him.

She—And are you sure, Algernon, that you never loved any girl but me?

He (unblushingly)—I never even thought of love until I saw you, my darling.

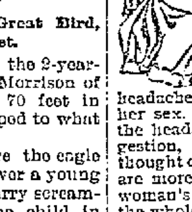
And just then the steam radiator clanked.—Somerville Journal.

### A Grewsome Foe.

Oh, flee from his pathway all creatures of vice<br>
And likewise all good men and true,<br>
For he handles a weapon more cruel than nice,<br>
And its terrors are thirsting for you.<br>
His wounds are not mortal. He challenges not<br>
To combat that reddens with blood.<br>
But the blushes he raises are never forgot—<br>
The man with a handful of mud.

And he hurls it on high, and he watches it spread,<br>
And his laugh echoes fearful and loud.<br>
He cares not though some may alight on his head<br>
If it only bespatter the crowd.<br>
The whiter the object the deeper the stain<br>
When abuse covers all in its flood,<br>
But his joys are his own, and he laughs at their pain—<br>
The man with a handful of mud.

—Washington Star.

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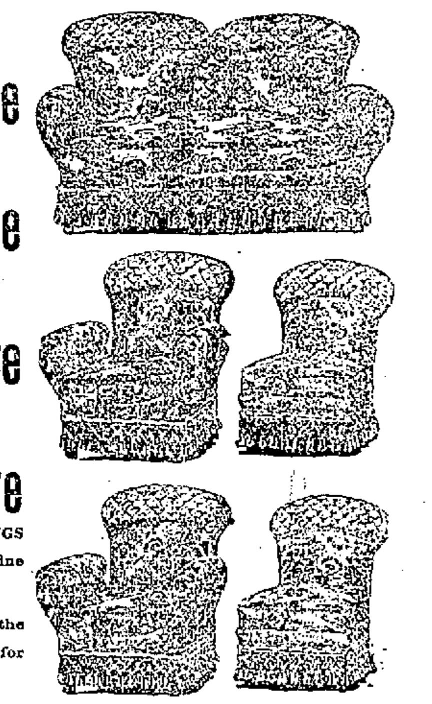

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## EX-GOV. ROBINSON

### Stricken By Apoplexy and Will Die.

HE SUSTAINED THE SHOCK YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

Sketch of His Career in Politics and Business.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 20.—Ex-Governor George D. Robinson of Chicopee suffered a shock of apoplexy yesterday afternoon, and is now in a critical condition.

George Dexter Robinson, son of Charles and Mary (Davis) Robinson, was born in Lexington, Jan. 20, 1834. He passed through the common district schools of his native town, attended Lexington academy one year and was one year in Hopkins classical school, Cambridge. Having fitted for college, he entered Harvard and was graduated therefrom in the class of 1856. While pursuing his college course he taught district schools during two winters in Lexington.

Immediately after graduating he became principal of the high school at Chicopee, and held the position until March, 1865. He then studied law in Charlestown with his brother, Hon. Charles Robinson, and was admitted to the bar in March, 1860. He immediately opened an office in Chicopee.

He was first married in Lexington Nov. 24, 1859, to Hannah E., daughter of William and Mary (Pearce) Stevens, who died Sept. 5, 1864. He was again married in Lexington July 11, 1867, to Susan E., daughter of Joseph F. and Susan (Mulliken) Simonds. By the first marriage he has one child, Walter Stevens Robinson, born March 29, 1861, and by the second, Annie Florence Robinson, born Oct. 4, 1869.

**Honored by State and Nation.**

He was a representative in the legislature in 1874, senator in 1876, representative in the Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth, Forty-seventh and Forth-eighth United States congresses.

He was elected governor of Massachusetts in 1884 and re-elected in 1885 and 1886. In 1887 Governor Robinson was tendered by President Cleveland an appointment on the interstate commerce commission, and declined it. In 1889 he was appointed by President Harrison commissioner to the Cherokee and other Indian tribes to receive title to lands in the Indian Territory, but declined the office.

Governor Robinson has never been invited to a public or private trust that, having been accepted, has not been filled with honor. In the higher councils of the nation he left a record for an earnest, manly and broad statesmanship, which has reflected infinite credit upon the state which has a generous remembrance of his loyal service.

The Republicans of the state oftimes refer with pride to the wonderful campaign made by him when a candidate for governor against Benjamin F. Butler. Night after night, during the entire campaign, he followed the doughty Lowell politician over the commonwealth, replying to the arguments made on the previous evening, and so convincing were his speeches that it is often said, "He talked himself into the gubernatorial chair."

Ex-Governor Robinson has won no little fame as a lawyer. For years, even after he had laid down the reins of office, his face was a familiar one at many important hearings before the legislature on Beacon Hill.

Governor Robinson played an important part in the Lizzie Borden trial, having been retained to defend her in the trial that has become famous the country over. Greatly to his efforts, it is believed, an acquittal was secured.

**To Meet at Cream City.**

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—The convention of the Republican National league will be held at Milwaukee Aug. 25, 26 and 27. Instead of leaving the selection to the executive committee, a ballot was taken by correspondence, and Milwaukee won out by a overwhelming vote, and yesterday the executive committee formally ratified this motion. The meeting was held for the purpose of securing money for to carry on the campaign this year. The money was easily raised, and plans were perfected for carrying into execution the work of the league. A telegram of sympathy was sent to Joseph H. Manley, regarding the death of his wife.

**Nye on His Death Bed.**

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Feb. 20.—Edgar W. Nye, the "Bill" Nye of the world of humor, whose writings have made the world laugh, is seriously sick at his home at Buck Shoals, eight miles south of here. About two weeks ago Mr. Nye was taken sick, and since that time the trouble has been slowly progressing until now his condition is very serious. He is suffering from a stroke of apoplexy. Last night Mr. Nye was much worse, and it is thought he can live only a few hours.

**Wants Another Trial.**

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 20.—Martin Dalton, convicted of having been guilty with "Yankee Dan" Sullivan of the murder of Anthony S. Haswell, has filed a petition for a new trial on the ground that recent enactment of the judiciary law renders the indictment under which he was convicted of no effect, as the new law makes no provision for the trial of indictments pending at the time of its passage.

**Fitz Confident of Winning.**

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 20.—The fight situation is quiet, the only point of interest being the condition of Maher's eyes. Latest reports are to the effect that his sight continues to improve. Fitzsimmons is certainly in superb shape, and reiterates his firm belief that the fight will be a very short one, and that he will be an easy winner inside of five rounds.

**Experiment Claimed Many Victims.**

SENEY, Mich., Feb. 20.—Four men were killed and seven seriously injured yesterday by a steam log hauler experimenting at McKay's lumber camp. At the point where the accident occurred the snow was piled in high banks. The engine became uncontrollable and ran down the road at full speed, catching the men before escape was possible.

# OF YOUNG ADAMS

### And His Pals the Boston Police Talk.

STEVENS REGARDED AS AN OLD TIMER.

He Served Time in a Massachusetts Jail.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—J. Irving Adams, son of John P. Adams of Auburndale, was positively identified yesterday by an intimate friend of the Adams family as the youthful burglar now under arrest in New York charged with the burglary at the office of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, Newton, and the attempted burglary of the Newtonville Co-operative bank.

The identification was brought about by means of a photograph of Adams taken in New York for the rogues' gallery. The photograph was sent to Chief Inspector Watts of the bureau of criminal investigation, reaching him yesterday.

The chief at once detailed Inspector Wolf to get the information wanted. No member of the family could be seen, but at the State street office of the boy's father, Mr. Keeler, the friend mentioned, was found. A glance at the photograph was all that was necessary. "Yes, that's the boy," he said.

The information was promptly wired to New York and young Adams will be held until the Newton authorities get there with the necessary requisition papers.

Mr. Adams, the boy's father, sent a representative to New York yesterday to look after legal matters. It is not intended to make any fight over the requisition papers. The fact that Irving has talked makes it difficult to form a good defense. This is fully realized both by the boy's counsel and his parents, and from the statement given out it would seem as if a plea of leniency would be the thing decided upon.

**Where Is Moore?**

In Boston police circles the boy's crimes and his contemplated tour of safe "cracking" are the sole topics of discussion, especially that part of his story which relates to Langdon W. Moore. Where Moore is the police want to know in the worst way. There is no charge against him so far, but the chief inspector wants him to give some explanation of the things which Adams says are true.

Moore informed the police years ago that he was out of the burglary business, and proved to the satisfaction of the police that he was telling the truth. From that time on until the present time, whenever a story came out reflecting on his name, Moore always called at police headquarters and set himself right.

Many stories besides the one told by Adams are in circulation, and they are all against Moore. Notwithstanding these stories, there are several inspectors who believe that Moore will set matters right. These inspectors believe that Adams' head was turned by Moore's book, and not by the old bank burglar himself. They say that Moore is too clever to be caught in any such affair as Adams is mixed up with, and predict that later developments will prove the truth of their statements.

**Stevens' Bad Record.**

Chief Inspector Watts yesterday succeeded in establishing the identity of the burglar arrested with young Adams in New York, who is booked under the name of Thomas Stevens. His name is Myron J. C. Dolloss, an old-time burglar, who is known to the prison officials of Massachusetts.

He has served eight years in the state prison at Charlestown, and the identification of the chief was corroborated by several old prison officials who were there when Dolloss was "doing time." He is a professional all-round crook, and considered one of the best "workers" in the country.

Dolloss was arrested in this city on Dec. 28, 1881, by Inspectors Houghton, Geraughty and Knox. The charge was burglary. It was alleged that he entered several dwellings in Cambridge and Brookline, and a strong case was weaved. On March 21, 1882, he was convicted in Cambridge, and sentenced on three counts for breaking and entering at Cambridge. He got three years on two counts and two years on a third count, making eight years in all.

He was discharged from the state prison on Nov. 26, 1883, having an allowance for good behavior given him.

Since Dolloss' release from the state prison he has been a wanderer. He has traveled from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean, and according to the police has kept at his profession.

In police parlance he is known as a "strong-arm man," having powerful muscles and plenty of nerve. Whenever arrested a revolver has been found on him, and extreme precaution has been taken in each case against resistance, for the officers know him to be a desperate character, who would fight hard to escape imprisonment.

Stevens is a clean-looking fellow, in the parlance of the police, and one would take him for a "drummer." In fact, that is what he represents to the police he is, and vows he will make it hot for the police before he leaves New York.

**Suspicions of Insanity.**

John P. Adams of Auburndale has given out a card for publication, in which he says:

"In the great grief which has come to my wife and myself by the alleged act of our son, J. Irving Adams, I ask for the publication of this statement in lieu of requests for interviews by reporters, who have shown us the greatest kindness and sympathy.

"Some six or seven years ago symptoms of insanity appeared in our son, which developed in a greater or less degree, and at no time since have we considered him fully sane, and at times clearly insane, almost beyond control. We have done all in our power to keep this knowledge within our family, hoping that such symptoms would disappear. While we don't think it wise, at present, to detail his mental condition, the proofs are ample and we believe conclusive.

"Knowing these things, which have caused us for several years untold and constant anxiety, we would ask a fair and discerning public to accord to them their just weight."

**An Aged Sinner.**

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 20.—Jacob Moser, aged 65 years, yesterday shot and killed Marguerite Senger, wife of a neighbor, and then committed suicide. The tragedy was the result of a quarrel.

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# IT IS THE LATEST UTOPIAN

### HIS NAME IS SMITH—ERECTS ON PAPER A MODEL SOCIETY.

A Plan Which Differs From Bellamyism and Is Co-operative Rather Than Socialistic—Capital to Be the Servant and Not the Master of Labor.

The efforts of man to realize an ideal democracy have been many, and despite numerous failures and glaring relapses, even under free governments, men still dream of and seek to invent the perfect state—ideal society. The progress of the civilized world is constantly in the direction of a nobler ideal of life for all the people, but even in America we are yet far from "a government of the people, by the people and for the people." Indeed, it would sometimes seem that, having tasted the fruits of liberty, we are turning away from her bountecus tables to the sole pursuit of private wealth, the possession of which constitutes any one a member of the aristocracy ipso facto. Under this tendency we have in the last generation drifted into conditions which have obtained under monarchical forms of government, so that man have pertinently asked wherein the American republic differed from or was any better than European countries. In the latter we see a constituted aristocracy whose appointment carries with it large patrimonies of wealth in the shape of land, the primary factor of production.

In America we have evolved a ruling aristocracy, entrance into which is gained merely by the possession of wealth in any form. Under both forms of government the producing masses have become either servants or subject to the tribute exacted by wealth in the shape of interest. The economic blanket covers and oppresses all except the few who are on top of it, and consequently there is a constant struggle to get on top by any means, and let who must stay under and yield his quota of tribute obtained by the pressure of "the accumulation" from above.

In view of these facts and not overlooking the many unsuccessful projects essaying to establish a society of equality and fraternity, it is pleasant to note that the hope of a perfect social industrial society is yet ever engaging the best minds. They are in the field of economics what the inventors are in the mechanical world.

Titus K. Smith is the latest of our economic inventors. In a book entitled "Altruria" he pictures his Utopia. The New York Herald says of the work, "In 'Altruria' he pictures for us a model world, in which poverty is unknown and in which human beings are from every point of view better off than they are in our common place, everyday world of capitalists and wageworkers."

The unit in Mr. Smith's plan is the township. He would transform each township into a little democracy of the most perfect and delightful type. The township corporation is to own the land and supply all machinery and other implements of production, and the corporation is, of course, owned and controlled by the citizens of the township. The author furnishes a complete financial plan which is claimed to be as feasible as that of any railroad or manufacturing corporation. Under this system the working producers would employ capital as their servant through the township corporation.

The plan is not socialistic, but co-operative. Combining in production and exchange to secure the best possible results, each family receives, owns and enjoys as it wills its share of the total product. All the benefits claimed for socialism are realized, while maintaining individual liberty and the private initiative. The object is to give man perfect freedom by having the township corporation co-operate with the individual producer, furnishing him the use of land and all the implements of production.

The picture of "Altruria" (the name of a township) is certainly a beautiful and a hopeful one.

Another feature of "Altruria" is that its teachings can be utilized as a whole or in part. It is not improbable that certain propositions will at an early day be considered politically actionable. There is not a business man in the United States, east, west, north or south, who would not be thankful for the system of transportation proposed by Mr. Smith, and his ideas on the currency question also deserve consideration at this time, when different sections of the country are estranged by differences on the money question. He would cut the gordian knot of this question, and then, by a new system of transportation, bind all sections together inseparably for all future time.

The author of this book, at the age of 12, was a miner. A few years later he had a practical acquaintance with farming, and at 17 he went to college, earning his way by teaching, and has since followed a mercantile vocation. He therefore brings to bear on his subject not only theoretical but also practical knowledge of the world's affairs.

JABR.

**After "Our" Amos.**

The late seceders from District Assembly No. 49 of New York, known as the Socialistic Labor alliance, have adopted a resolution requesting Typographical Union No. 6 to drop the name of Amos J. Cummings from its roll of membership because that gentleman is advocating the increase of the United States army, for which reason they consider him an enemy of organized labor, the inference being that the army is only kept to subdue workmen when striking for better conditions. It is not very likely that Big Six will grant the request, as the majority of its members believe Mr. Cummings the only logical candidate for president of the United States this year, and are willing to guarantee him a labor indorsement.—New York News.

**Spared For Once.**

A report that Mme. Patti intended to give a farewell farewell tour has proved to be without foundation.—Washington Star.

**Plenty of Chances to Win—or Lose.**

There are said to be more than 1,000 organized mining companies in the Cripple Creek district.—Omaha Bee.

# THE PROBLEM OF POVERTY.

Extract From Address Made Before the Chicago Society For Ethical Culture.

The problem of the poor is not one that concerns the poor alone, but all members of society. The moment we study the causes of poverty we learn that the poor are victims of conditions and influences over which they have but partial control. There must be reform in other grades of society before the difficulties which afflict the submerged tenth shall disappear.

We must not suppose that any great amount of permanent improvement can be secured through the distribution of mere material things, either in so called charity or even under improved industrial conditions. Social adjustment among men depends upon good will and friendly co-operation as well as upon material.

Neither can we expect hope from that so called charity which, while it gives less attention to the distribution of material things, insists that the poor must be saving and thrifty and make the best of it. The old charity, which is a part of the old political economy, as said to the poor for more than a generation past, the only way to secure wealth is to save it, and you, the poor, may become wealthy if, like the rest of us, you are sufficiently thrifty and saving. Now, it is quite possible that a movement looking to the improved conditions in the slums of cities or improved industrial conditions in sweatshops, stores and factories must largely come from the people who suffer. It is a historical fact that most reforms have come up from the bottom and have not been superinduced from the top. Be that as it may, the object which we seek for the poor as for all members of society is life, as broad, as complete, as cultivated as we can secure. This includes education, which will keep the individual above the line of want, and it includes healthy social amusement and recreation, which is a main safeguard of morals.

By means of this principle as a beacon light, a larger and fuller life for the poor, let us examine some of the charitable methods at present applied. In the first place, it is necessary to keep in mind that municipal improvement and industrial reform are matters of growth and come slowly. Better city government would greatly relieve poverty, better industrial conditions will make it possible for thousands to live better lives and be less dependent upon society; but, meantime, here is our suffering neighbor, and what are we going to do with him? We cannot see little children perish in our midst. If we have got to feed our neighbor, and for the present it looks as if we have to do it, how shall we do it for his best good and for the best good of society at large?

I am exceedingly anxious to make a very clear distinction between the one-tenth of the population who make up the very poor and the three-tenths of the population who make up the great body of the working people. It should be clearly and finally understood that efforts for the intelligent application of charitable methods apply to the very poor, and not the great body of self supporting and independent laborers. The numbers of the very poor and the conditions under which they live depend to very great degree upon the general industrial conditions which apply to the working people. Better wages and shorter hours will make higher life possible and will make men able to do more for their families and widows with little children more able to be independent of any material aid, and to this end I must ask your careful consideration of Charles Booth's classification of the population in a great city. All the world recognizes his authority and I suppose the conditions in parts of Chicago are not materially different from those indicated by Mr. Booth, although the greater intensity of energy here results in more rapid social change.

Mr. Booth's classification is as follows:

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| B. Casual earnings—"very poor" | 11½ |
| C. Intermittent earnings—"poor" | 8 |
| D. Small regular earnings—"poor" | 18½ |
| E. Regular standard earnings—above the line of poverty | 42 |
| F. High class labor | 13½ |
| G. Lower middle class | 4 |
| H. Upper middle class | 6 |

The principal causes of poverty are inadequate natural resources, bad climatic conditions, defective sanitation, evil associations and surroundings, defective legislation, defective judicial and punitive machinery, misdirected and inadequate education, bad industrial conditions, unwise philanthropy.

If charity and charitable methods are necessary evils, let us see that by intelligent and co-operative work the evils are eliminated as far as possible and that simple, gentle care for one another, which is true charity, and which is not an evil, has a permanent biding foothold among us.—Dr. Philip W. Ayres.

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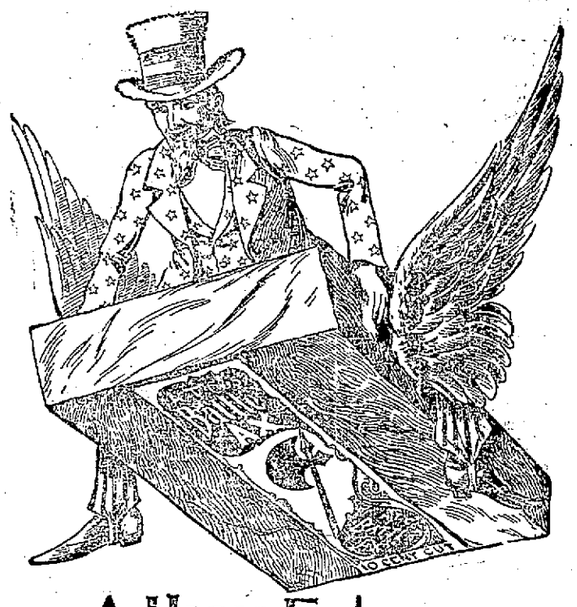
And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in the LOWELL DAILY SUN, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

S. N. FOLSOM, Register.

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For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.14 9.45 a.m; 12.11, 1.00, †1.42, 3.43, 5.42, 6.20, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only) 5 a.m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.13, 5.43 p. m.
For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.14, 9.45 a. m; 12.11, (1.42 to Franklin and Bristol only), 5.42, †8.13 p. m.
For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40 a. m; 1.42 p. m.
For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m; 1.42, †8.42 p. m.
For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.
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## SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR THURSDAY, FEB. 20.

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| SUN RISES | 6 31 | MOON SETS | morn |
| SUN SETS | 5 25 | FULL SEA | 3 50 AM |
| LENGTH OF DAY | 10 47 | | 3 45 PM |

Forecast for New England: Clearing and colder, with a cold wave; high northwesterly winds.

## LOCAL NEWS.

The gentlemen's delight, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

The Lowell Wall Paper Co.; all styles; all prices, 18 Church street.

Rubbers repaired, Cunningham's, Palmer street.

Isyourbinlow? If so order your coal now of Rourke & Sullivan by postal or telephone.

If your coal does not suit you try Mullin, the 1018 Gorham street coal dealer. You can get him by telephone 21-6.

The sidewalk in front of the police station is covered with snow and ice, and it is about time it was cleared off.

A horse driven by a man named Weaver fell at the corner of Central and Middlesex streets yesterday afternoon, and cut its leg badly.

The case of the French Protestant church vs. the Bersan church was called in the police court yesterday, but nothing was done, it being postponed to Friday, Feb. 28.

It was ladies' night at the Highland club last evening, and the "hop" was largely attended. Hibbard's orchestra furnished music.

The physical examination of candidates for the police force took place yesterday afternoon. It is said some of the candidates were too strong.

The choir of St. Michael's church is to rehearse Cherubini's Coronation mass for Easter. Stearns' musical vespers with orchestral accompaniment will be sung in the evening.

## L'UNION FRANCO-AMERICAINE

### Canvass For the Candidates For Office in Model Government.

Just at present a lively canvass is being carried on among the French voters of the city.

It will be remembered that several weeks ago the city committee of L'Union Franco-Americane met and selected candidates for the offices in the model government.

Pierre A. Brosseau and William Drapeau were nominated as opposing candidates for mayor and the former felt confident of winning. Just as things looked brightest for him Avilla Bourbonniere at the solicitation of many votes resigned his position as city clerk of the model government and became a full-fledged candidate for mayor, on what is termed the the independent ticket. The fight narrowed down to Brosseau and Bourbonniere, and has now become a personal one in which each man is striving for the position because of the prestige it may give him with those outside the ranks of the French votes.

Briefly Mr. Brousseau and Mr. Bourbonniere are engaged in a contest, which will determine, if reports are true, who has the greater following among the French people. Mr. Brousseau is quoted as saying recently, "I don't see why Bourbonniere wanted to enter this fight, but now that he is in it he will have to hustle to win."

## THE DRIVEN WELLS.

### City Engineer Bowers Read an Instructive Paper on the Plant.

Before the New England Water Works association at Young's hotel, a few days ago, City Engineer Bowers read a very instructive article upon the driven well system.

He described the work, the plant, and the results obtained in a thoroughly scientific manner. He showed that the average quantity pumped per day since April 5, 1895, was 3,049,878 gallons.

### "Isaac" Not a Candidate.

Some joker told the Rev. William Waldorf Jackson, Jr., the opponent of Smith for the presidency that J. J. Mahoney, the proprietor of the "Clipper Shades," is a delegate to the republican national convention and the Rev. W. W. lost no time in sending some cards to Mr. Mahoney.

The latter denies that he is a republican delegate and says, furthermore, that he would be a Smith man had he a vote in the convention.

Noel Goodroe has organized a Jackson club in Ayer City. He is president, Jack Graves, vice president, and Charlie Pupprecht is treasurer.

### Change of Base.

Henry Flood, the well-known cigar and tobacco dealer and manufacturer, has moved two doors below his old store and he has his men making his celebrated spindle cigar in the window. They are a great attraction and cause people to stand at the windows as there is a novelty about cigar making that attracts the attention of every body passing. Henry is well pleased with his change. He is quite popular and he merits the large patronage he is receiving. He has a large and select line of meerschaums and briar pipes. Henry invites all his friends to visit his new store.

### Lenten Services.

The services in St. Michael's church were very largely attended last evening, the church being crowded to the doors.

Rev. Fr. Gilday preached an eloquent sermon appropriate to the Lenten season, taking for his theme "Death and Judgment."

Over thirteen hundred people received the ashes with the admonition "Dust thou art and unto dust thou will return."

The services at the other Catholic churches were also largely attended.

### Jim Eddy's Braves.

"Should auld acquaintance be forgot?" The ninth annual concert and ball of the Veteran Firemen's Association will be held in Huntington hall tomorrow evening, and it will be a grand affair. Hibbard's orchestra will furnish music. THE SUN acknowledges the receipt of an invitation.


### Dress Suits

In the very best style made from latest material and up to date in every respect, by Louis Alexander, formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, importer and tailor, 65 Central street Lowell, Mass.

### Big Money.

We save you big money on sugar, we can save you bigger money on tea and coffee. Patronize us and see. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 88 Merrimack street.

### Bowling, Billards, Pool

Tournaments and prizes at Les Miserables, East Merrimack street.

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## MOST INTELLIGENT DOG

### THE GIFT OF MISS GUINEY OF AUBURNDALE.

It Escorts the Children to the Kindergarten and Goes for Them When the School Is Over.

William Guiney of Broadway has the largest and most intelligent dog in this city. It is a full blooded St. Bernard, weighs over 100 pounds and is eleven months old. The dog was presented by his niece, Imogene Guiney, postmistress of Auburndale. The dog escorts Mr. Guiney's children to the kindergarten and then returns home and goes back for them when school is over. It is safe to say that there is no fear of the children being harmed either going to or coming from the school.

## SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

With the boom in the theatrical business we may expect to have a roof garden here in the summer.

Every business place is annoyed by some particular loafer.—Atchinson Globe.

Sometimes it's the proprietor.—Boston Globe.

Either he or the "ad." man in one business office we know of.

"You talk mighty independent," said the ward heeler, with an ugly scowl, "but let me tell you, boss, you'll never run your little boom through my precinct unless I do the steerin'."

"I think I'll get along without you" replied the candidate. "If I need to have any steering done, sir, there are ridders."

And he sternly bowed him out.

There are various definitions of a mean man but the following is the latest:

The Boston Transcript has heard of an economical man. He is a locksmith, and needing a sign he went to a sign painter and got an estimate for lettering. Then he nailed two locks to a board and asked the painter to paint after them the word "Smith." The Philadelphia Ledger suggests, however, that it would have been cheaper to have used only one lock and paid the painter for an "s."

Following is the text of an order that is now being enforced in the New York police department:

When a superior officer enters the reading room of the station house, and the policemen are sitting about playing dominoes, or reading, they must rise and stand at attention until he leaves the room. The same respect must be shown to a superior officer when the policeman is off duty as when he is on duty.

If the Lowell police commission sees this item, this new rule will undoubtedly be adopted as metropolitan methods are now in order in every department.

Officer Redmond Welch made a great capture yesterday morning and later, assisted by Officer Jack Leighton made another equally important, bagging the burglars who have been working with impunity in two or more cities, judging from appearances. They admitted having entered three places in this city and when questioned about some of the property found in their room answered that they had stolen it but could not remember "at just which place" indicating that they had robbed a number of stores. It is probable that the man whom Officer Welch intercepted on Tilden street at four o'clock in the morning was out for no good purpose, armed as he was with a revolver and a butcher's cleaver. It was a great catch and the officer deserves highest commendation. Undoubtedly the commissioners will notice the capture officially.

## COULDN'T STAND WEATHER.

### One of Cheney's Latest Teamsters Was Actually Frozen Out.

One of the new "Provincial" teamsters on the street department had a tough experience at his first day's work, Monday.

If report be true, Cleve put the man in question on for the first time Monday morning and though from the Provinces he couldn't stand the severe cold and was obliged to quit after his ears and nose had been frostbitten.

It is also said that the first Frenchman to get anything out of the republicans this year is seen to go to work on a team leaving the employ of the street railroad for his new job.

### No Parade in Lawrence.

The annual St. Patrick's day convention of the Lawrence societies was held Tuesday evening and it was decided not to parade this year.

## BAY STATE LEGISLATURE

### THE LOWELL AND SUBURBAN PETITION GRANTED.

Other Matters of Importance—Boston Emergency Hospital.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—The most interesting hearing at the state house yesterday was upon the question of granting state aid to the amount of $50,000 to the Boston Emergency hospital. Very much was said in praise of the institution, but the testimony was not all one way. The committee on banks and banking considered several matters of especial interest to persons interested in co-operative banking.

In the senate the committee on fisheries and game reported back the bill making appropriations for salaries and expenses of the fish and game commission, rejecting the amendments offered by Mr. Maccabe. Mr. Maccabe offered certain amendments making the appropriation for the compensation and expenses of the commissioners $32,000, instead of $35,000, and the appropriation for current expenses to carry out the laws relative to fish and game $52,000 instead of $55,000. The bill, with these amendments, was then referred to the fish and game committee, who reported that the bill ought to pass without the amendments.

The committee on harbors and public lands reported several bills authorizing the town of Falmouth to appropriate money for the construction and maintenance of a breakwater and to construct certain bridges.

Reports of committees: Towns—A bill authorizing the town of Cottage City to appropriate annually not exceeding $500 for public amusements. Agriculture—A bill requiring docked horses to be provided with a netting in June, July, August and September. Roads and bridges—A bill providing for an apportionment of betterment assessments on real estate. Street railways—A bill authorizing the Lowell and Reading Street Railway company to construct, maintain and operate its railway in Billerica, Reading and Wilmington.

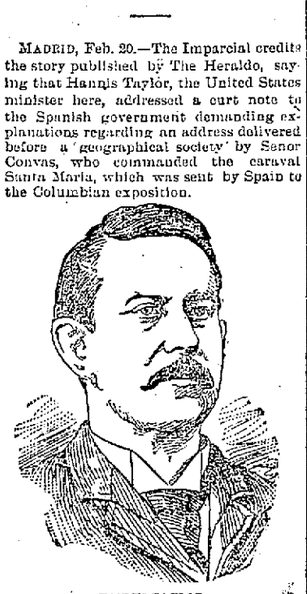
## MUST APOLOGIZE

### Convas' Remarks Insulting to United States.

STRONG PROTEST ENTERED BY MINISTER TAYLOR.

Received With Bad Grace in Some Quarters.

MADRID, Feb. 20.—The Imparcial credits the story published by The Heraldo, saying that Hannis Taylor, the United States minister here, addressed a curt note to the Spanish government demanding explanations regarding an address delivered before a geographical society by Senor Convas, who commanded the carnaval Santa Maria, which was sent by Spain to the Columbian exposition.



HANNIS TAYLOR.

In this address, Senor Convas gave his impressions of his visit to the United States. But it would seem that he undoubtedly used language which was offensive to the United States minister, hence the latter's demand for an explanation.

The Imparcial asserts that Mr. Taylor's demand was couched in hurtful language, adding: It seems to be the acme of sensitiveness. Our international relations show greater grievances than this.

The minister of marine, Jose Maria de Beranger, resents, according to The Heraldo, the tone of Mr. Taylor's note, considering it unjustified, as the address of Senor Convas was delivered before a private geographical society.

The Imparcial takes the same ground, saying that the United States minister's demand is entirely unprecedented, as the geographical society before which the address was made is not an official body. The Imparcial adds, ironically: There is no doubt that this development of international law may be introduced by the United States into any case, and it is very striking testimony of the relations existing between the two governments.

Senor Convas, it appears, asserted that the moral atmosphere of the United States was very defective, and that family relations lacked much to be desired. Education, he also said, while widespread, was only on the surface, and American politicians, he added, have no prestige. He concluded by remarking that in America everything is sacrificed to the almighty dollar, and that business and materialities of life drown all noble sentiments.

Admiral Beringer, minister of marine, made an investigation as to the circumstances of the address delivered by Convas. The latter has denied the accuracy of the extracts of his lecture which were published in the press, and has said there was nothing in it offensive to America.

Don Antonio Canovas del Castillo, the premier, has determined to ask Senor Convas to write a full apology for his references to the United States in the lecture which has been the cause of irritation.

The government has offered Minister Taylor satisfactory assurance of its sincere friendship for the American nation.

### Congressional Doings.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—In the senate yesterday, Mr. Carter (Mon.) offered a resolution to recommit the tariff bill to the finance committee for further consideration. This move by one of the four Republican senators who voted against taking up the tariff bill caused much interesting comment. Mr. Carter did not press the resolution, but said he would ask to take it up next Monday, when he would address the senate on its adoption. The announcement was accepted as foreshadowing a statement of the attitude and purposes of the silver senators who have voted against considering the tariff bill. The house yesterday devoted itself strictly to business. The army appropriation bill, carrying $23,275,902 was passed, the conference report on the urgent deficiency bill was adopted and the bill to extend for five years the time in which the government can bring suits to annul patents to public lands under railroad and wagon road grants was passed.

### Ready For Trial.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—The Congregational council which is investigating the charges of immorality against Rev. C. O. Brown is now fully organized and ready to proceed with the actual trial of the accused clergyman. M. S. Woodhamer, representative of the First Congregational church, of which Dr. Brown is pastor, before the council, was appointed judge advocate when the council had been convened. The committee of charges represented that four charges had been preferred against Dr. Brown by Sarah B. Cooper, assistant pastor of the church, and by her daughter, Hattie Cooper.

### Carver Chosen Commander.

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 20.—The department of Maine's Grand Army yesterday voted to hold the encampment in Lewiston in 1897. Great excitement attended the election of department commander. Colonel L. D. Carver of Rockland was elected on the third ballot, and the election was made unanimous. The other officers elected were: Senior vice commander, William Fenelly, Bar Harbor; junior vice commander, James J. Chase; medical director, Dr. John H. Macgregor, Enfield; chaplain, J. W. Webster, Newport; council of administration, G. B. Haskell, Charles H. Hooper, John B. Carson.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## NOTED DISTURBER SHOT

### THE MAN WHO WAS HUNG BY HIS THUMBS

At Pittsburg and Drummed From a Pennsylvania Regiment in 1893.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 20.—William H. Iams was shot and probably fatally injured in a quarrel with Charles Arndt early yesterday morning. Iams is the man who was hung up by the thumbs, had his head shaved and was drummed out of camp while serving in a Pennsylvania regiment of militia during the riots at Homestead in 1893. Arndt is a musician, 55 years old, and the shooting was done at the boarding house of the men. It grew out of Iams' alleged habit of coming in late and making a noise.

### Syndicate Ready to Help.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—A local paper prints an interview with Dr. Guiteras of the Philadelphia Cuban junta, who says that a syndicate has made an offer to take $15,000,000 of Cuban bonds if the insurgents are granted belligerent rights by the United States. The price the syndicate will pay, he says, will be about 40 cents on the dollar, giving the Cubans about $6,000,000. If the insurgents succeed, he asserts, not only will the new bonds be paid, but those issued during the 10 years' war.

### Overcome by Gas.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—Owing to a break in a gas main on Clarendon street, the entire household of Dr. R. E. Dixon were nearly suffocated by gas. The family consists of the doctor and his wife, three daughters, Miss Dixon, the doctor's sister; Vincent Fetherston and two servants. Considerable difficulty was experienced in arousing one of the smaller children, while the two servants were found in an unconscious condition, and were only resuscitated by the prompt application of restoratives.

### Not Likely to Be Needed.

HALIFAX, Feb. 20.—Students of the Dalhouse university, filled with martial spirit, are forming two companies of militia, which will be drafted into the Sixty-third Battalion of Rifles. Each company will be 50 or 60 strong, and twice the requisite number have already volunteered. The Canadian government has been asked to approve of the scheme, which has been in progress ever since President Cleveland's message to congress on the Venezuelan dispute.

### Used Knife Freely.

PETERBORO, Ont., Feb. 20.—John McGee came into the village hotel yesterday, and, being refused a drink, plunged his knife in the throat of Proprietor William Bowman. John Arnott, a boarder, interfered in behalf of Bowman, when McGee turned and stabbed him in the groin. Bowman is very seriously injured, and Arnott will die. The murderer was arrested.

### Informant Gets a Thousand.

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 20.—The total fines on the British Hosiery company for violation of the contract labor law are $8007. The company has submitted to judgment without trial, and of this amount Thomas Wardell, the informant against the company, will get $1000. Wardell claims he was not well used by the company and this caused the disclosure.

### Given No Assurance.

SACO, Me., Feb. 20.—There are no new developments in the strike situation, except that Agent Page denies that he told the strike committee that the operatives could return to their looms, under the old schedule, next Monday. He says he gave them no assurance that they could ever return. The strikers are very blue at the prospect.

### Against Civil Service Reform.

ANNAPOLIS, Feb. 20.—The house of representatives yesterday practically killed civil service reform in Maryland by passing the Bruce bill, with a clause attached referring the whole matter to a vote of the people at the election in November. A bitter fight was made against the bill, and the referendum clause was designed to kill.

### Jury In Doubt.

TAUNTON, Mass., Feb. 20.—The jury disagreed in the manslaughter case against Caroline Therchera of New Bedford, yesterday, and her bail was reduced from $10,000 to $3000. She hit Antone Soares over the head with a stick of wood and he died shortly afterward.

### Better Times at Hand.

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 20.—The Candee Rubber works, which give employment to 1800 people, started up in full today. Nearly every department has been closed since last month, owing to an overstocked market.

## THE NEW CASTLE HORROR.

### Number of Victims Will Fall But Little Below Sixty.

NEW CASTLE, Colo., Feb. 20.—When the work of rescue was temporarily suspended yesterday the Vulcan mine had, all told, yielded up four of its dead. That was the work of exactly 24 hours. How many more bodies remain within is still somewhat a matter of conjecture, although the most reliable figures make the number 47. The officials of the Vulcan Fuel company have checked up 51 lamps in all that were given out Tuesday morning. Probably it will be found that there are four or five more; but, without apparent question, the number of victims will not exceed 56.

All night shifts of men were kept employed putting up an air-fan in the place of the two destroyed. Simultaneously crews of from 5 to 10 men were sent into the death trap by way of the main slope entrance and the air passage, to work their way, if possible, to where the bodies of the dead men lie.

This work was accompanied with the most imminent peril, owing to the black damp with which the mine was filled. Fully 20 of the rescuing party were carried into the outer air, overcome by the gases. The work being thus impeded, progress was slow and the result discouragingly small. As the work goes on, it becomes certain that the mine has not caught fire.

### A Total of $38,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Secretary Carlisle has made this announcement: "Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co. and associates, under their bid for $100,000,000, of United States 4 per cent bonds of 1925 made in accordance with the recent circulars of the secretary of the treasury, are entitled to receive bonds of the face value of about $4,700,000 in addition to those of which they have already been notified. Exact figures cannot be stated until returns from various sub-treasuries are fully verified." This will give Mr. Morgan about $38,000,000 of the bond issue.

### "A Matter of Conscience."

MONTREAL, Feb. 20.—It is stated in well-informed circles here that a collective mandement is to be issued by the Roman Catholic bishops shortly, calling upon every Catholic member of the house of commons and the senate to support, as a matter of conscience, the Dominion government's bill remedying the grievances of the minority in Manitoba.


AYER'S THE PILL THAT WILL PILLS CURE HEADACHE INDIGESTION BILIOUSNESS CONSTIPATION


## AGNES MORTON HELD

### For the Murder of Mrs. Weir in Lawrence.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 20.—Agnes Morton was arraigned in court yesterday, charged with an assault upon Kate Weir, which resulted in the latter's death. To the charge she said: "I don't remember killing her, but I do remember she bit my finger and I hit her in the face." Medical Examiner Howe performed an autopsy on the body of Kate Weir yesterday. They decided that death was the result of injuries she received in the quarrel with Agnes Morton.

### Abortionist Convicted.

DETROIT, Feb. 20.—The jury in the case of Dr. D. J. Seaman, who was tried for having caused the death of Emily Hall of Hales Owen, Eng., by committing an abortion, yesterday rendered a verdict of guilty. This was the second trial of the case. Emily Hall was betrayed by Rev. Jonathan Bell of Blackheath, Dudley, Eng.

### Connecticut Veterans Meet.

NORWICH, Conn., Feb. 20.—The 29th encampment of Connecticut's Grand Army opened yesterday. Reports show a membership of 6208, a loss during the year of 425. There are now 69 posts in the state. The loss by death during the past year was 121. The finances of the department are in sound condition.

### Bombs For Palace Occupants.

MADRID, Feb. 20.—Several bombs were exploded in the gardens of the palace between 9 and 10 o'clock last night. No personal injuries resulted. The outrage is supposed to have been perpetrated by anarchists.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The tax on saloons in Ohio has been increased.

Republicans made their usual sweep in Philadelphia.

The 161 pictures in the King collection sold for $272,705.

Japan has decided that Russia is not so formidable as was feared.

The efforts of Canada to effect a compromise with Manitoba are futile.

Charles C. Davis was nominated for mayor by the Democrats of Auburn, Me.

The postoffice department is trying to cleanse the mails of objectionable literature.

President Cleveland will announce soon his attitude in the coming presidential campaign.

The new Korean minister, Soh Khwan Pom, yesterday presented his credentials to the president.

Pollock Rip lightship No. 4, having completed repairs, has resumed her station in Vineyard Sound.

The Southern Pacific railroad has incurred the hostility of the Trancontinental Passenger association.

Rev. John Watson of Liverpool has been chosen to deliver the Lyman-Beecher course of lectures at Yale university.

George Bowman, a carpenter on the new Tilden-Thurber building, Providence, fell 80 feet, and will probably die from his injuries.

Mrs. Ellen Dolly of South Windham, Me., will not be sentenced for life for the murder of her daughter's illegitimate child until May.

At Bangor, Me., James Barbour, indicted for compound larceny, was given a sentence of 3½ years in the state prison at Thomaston.

Indianapolis has been chosen as the place for holding the convention of the National School Superintendents' association next year.

Miss Emily S. Duchemin was probably fatally burned at Newburyport, Mass., by the explosion of naphtha which she was using in cleaning her dress.

B. A. Kimball, president of the Concord and Montreal railroad, sustained a severe injury to his hip by falling upon an icy sidewalk at Concord, N. H.

Fire in the dye and chemical storehouse of the Silver Spring bleachery at Providence caused a heavy loss by ruining a large amount of expensive drugs.

Ambrose Plamondon, aged 62, president of the Plamondon Manufacturing company, and a widely known and successful business man of Chicago, died of pneumonia.

## DYNAMITE IN TRANSVAAL.

### Many People Killed and Injured and Houses Wrecked.

JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 20.—An explosion of dynamite occurred at Vlediendorp, and the poor quarter of the town was blown to pieces. Hundreds of houses are in ruins, and the havoc wrought is fearful. A number of persons were killed, and the populace turned out en masse and are working to rescue those who may be buried in the ruins. The windows of every house in Johannesburg were broken by the force of the explosion. The dynamite which caused the catastrophe filled eight trucks, which were being shunted. The explosion caused an immense hole, 30 feet deep, to be formed. Forty dead, nearly all terribly mutilated, have already been taken from the ruins, but the work of searching the debris has scarcely begun. Two hundred of the most severely injured were admitted to the hospital, where several died. It is believed that only a few white persons were killed.

### Fishermen's Death Roll.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 20.—The annual memorial service of the Gloucester Relief association, in honor of 123 fishermen lost at sea from this port during 1895, was held in city hall last night. Mayor Robinson presided, and a fitting eulogy was delivered by Rev. N. T. Whittaker of Lynn.

### Warner Won Them All.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—The New England outdoor skating championships were decided yesterday afternoon at Wood Island park before 3000 people. Rob Warner of Cambridge took the three events easily. His time was: Mile, 3m. 44 1-5s.; 3 miles, 12m. 8 4-5s.; 5 miles, 19m. 10 1-5s.


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LISBON, Feb. 20.—At a masked ball given by the Artists' club at San Taren, fire broke out shortly before midnight and spread with great rapidity. A terrible panic followed the first alarm, and all present rushed for the exits, which were soon jammed with terrified people. Despairing of escape by any other means, men, women and children then jumped from the windows, seriously injuring themselves. Friends of the revelers rushed into the burning building later to aid in the work of rescue, and many of them were caught by the flames before they could make their way out again. Thus far 40 bodies have been recovered.

### Must Aid Spain.

HABANA, Feb. 20.—The governor of Matanzas has issued a circular stating that the captain general has decided that the planters in that province must start grinding cane at once, and that they should organize, at their own expense, an armed body of men for the protection of their property, which force, it is added, will be assisted by the government guerrillas and the regular army. The circular makes it understood that it is the duty of the planters to help the government in this manner. The latter will pay the guerrillas for their service, and furnish the necessary arms and ammunition for the plantation guards.

### More About Nansen.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 20.—At a meeting of the Imperial Geographical society yesterday, Senator Semenoff said that it would be premature yet to deny the news of Dr. Nansen's discovery of the North Polo. It was probable, he said, that Dr. Nansen was returning, or had returned, to the New Siberian islands, where Baron Toll had placed stores of provisions in anticipation of his return. The first news of Dr. Nansen was received by Peter Kuschnereff, who was searching for the ivory of the extinct mammoth on the New Siberian island, where this ivory has been found in large quantities. Kuschnereff's men possibly met a member of the Nansen expedition, or even Nansen himself.

### May Be Privately Settled.

DOVER, N. H., Feb. 20.—A petition of Receiver Whittemore of the defunct Dover National bank and the Guarantee Company of North America, of Montreal, for a postponement of the case against the Guarantee company, brought by Receiver Whittemore to recover $20,000, the amount of the bonds of the late defaulting Cashier Abbott, was granted by Judge Chase yesterday, and the case will come up for trial in September. The petition is the result of a proposition made by the defendant looking toward a settlement of the case outside of the courts.

### Strange Experience of Mrs. Crabtree.

AMESBURY, Mass., Feb. 20.—Mrs. Elizabeth Crabtree, living on the Hampton road, had a severe attack of diphtheria in January. Lately she has complained of severe pains around the heart, and one week ago Monday, while seated in her chair, her head dropped forward on her breast, and she appeared like one dead. Dr. Colcord applied restoratives, which, however, had no effect. On Tuesday her eyes opened and she then partook of some nourishment. Although in a weakened condition, her ultimate recovery is assured.


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## NELLIE McDONOUGH DEAD

### UNDER SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES IN BOSTON.

An Investigation to Follow—Signs of Foul Play on the Body.

NEWINGTON, N. H., Feb. 20.—This town is somewhat aroused by the suspicious death in Boston of Nellie McDonough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McDonough of this town. The parents first learned of their daughter's death by letter from a Boston undertaker, asking if he should forward the girl's body. John McDonough, a brother of the girl, went to Boston and returned with the body. Dr. W. O. Junkins made an autopsy, and he notified the coroner of suspicious circumstances, and an investigation will follow.

### Walker Outlines His Bill.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—Congressman Walker's banking bill was explained by its author at the chamber of commerce last evening. He claimed that it means cheaper money and greater freedom in banking. Under it, he said, banks would issue and be responsible for the redemption of every dollar of paper money. It would result in profit to banks and a saving to the people.

### Losing No Time.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 20.—Miss Clara Barton, after having been presented to the Turkish ministers interested, began making the preparations necessary to start for Anatolia in order to supervise the work of distributing relief to the distressed Armenians. She has established her headquarters in the Pera quarter, and is making rapid progress with the work of organization.

### Awaiting Faure's Signature.

PARIS, Feb. 20.—The pardon of John L. Waller, convicted by a court-martial in the island of Madagascar of illegally communicating with the Hovas and sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment, has been sent to President Faure for the latter's signature. The present action is due to the representations made by the United States government in the prisoner's behalf.

### Sultan Has His Way.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 20.—All the powers, it is announced, have recognized Prince Ferdinand as ruler over Bulgaria, in accordance with the request of the sultan.


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